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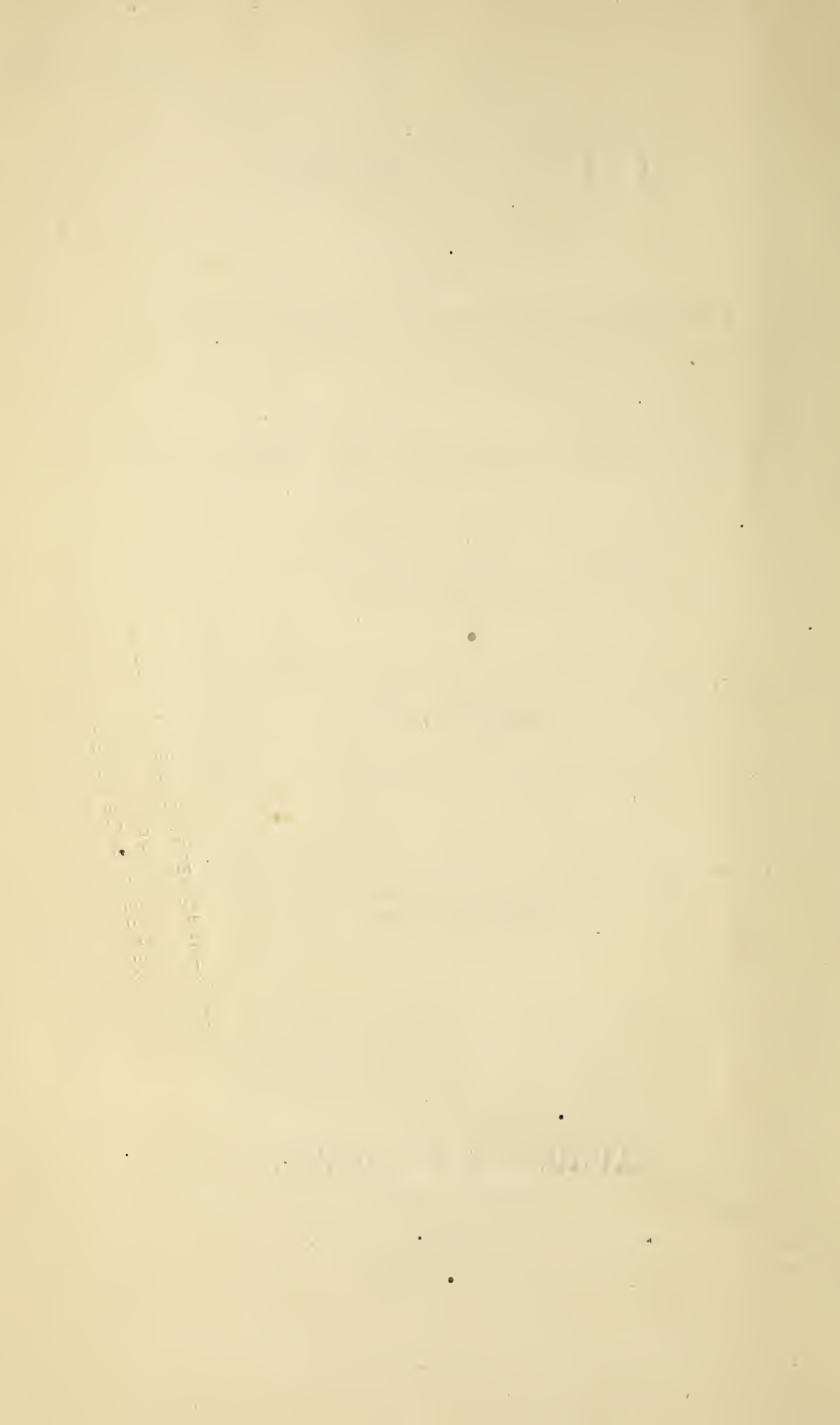
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[JOHN F. PRATT, M. D.]

“To the Honorable the Senate and the Honorable the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled :

The Petition of a number of the Inhabitants of the Northeasterly Part of the Town of North Yarmouth, in the County of Cumberland, humbly sheweth : The Inhabitants of the said Northeasterly part of the Town of North Yarmouth have been for a long time, and still are, subjected to very great Inconveniences and Difficulties by reason of our remote situation from the Center Part of the Town,—especially with regard to the Benefit of Public Worship and all Public Town affairs, living from between three and four to seven, eight, and even ten miles distance from the First Meeting House in said Town. That in consideration of the great and insuperable difficulties of attending Public Worship at the stated place of worship in said Town, and that the said Inhabitants might be in a better capacity to provide a place for public worship among themselves, as well as enjoy other town privileges with less inconvenience, a number of the Inhabitants of the Northeasterly Part of said Town, some time in the latter part of the year 1769, preferred a Petition to the Town, praying that the said Northeasterly part of the Town as far as Royal's River might be set off as a separate District, which petition at a regular Town meeting for that purpose, January the first 1770, was so far granted that it was then voted, “That one half of the land at the northeasterly end of the Town, running a parallel line with the northeasterly side line of said Town. except the Public Lands within said limits granted for the use of the Ministry in the Town, be set off as a separate District,” as by the Public Records of said Town

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of that date may appear. That since that time, a number of said Inhabitants at a considerable expence have erected a house for the Public Worship of God, and in a great measure finished it, where they have had occasional Preaching some small part of the season, partly at the expence of the Town at large, and partly by subscription among themselves. They have also erected a school-house for the instruction of youth among them in reading, writing &c., &c.

But from the difficulties of the times, and our present unorganized state, we have hitherto been unable to provide for the support of stated public worship, much more for the settlement of the Gospel Ministry among us. That having now considerably increased in number, and being greatly desirous of enjoying the Public Worship of God and the Ordinances of the Gospel among us, as well as the Civil Privileges common to other Societies in a Corporate Capacity, We are induced to make our humble application to this Honorable Court, and now pray your Honors for the reasons above mentioned to set off one half the Land in the Town of North Yarmouth aforesaid, at the Northeasterly end thereof, (together with the Inhabitants living on said land), as a separate Town by the name of GREEN, Vested with the Powers, Privileges and Immunities that the Inhabitants of any Town within the Commonwealth are or ought by Law to be vested with. But should your Honors not see sufficient cause to grant the prayer of your Petitioners, by setting them off a separate Town, your Petitioners would then humbly beg this Honorable Court would set them off a separate District, agreeable to a vote of said Town of North Yarmouth before recited, dated January 1st, 1770.

And whereas at the settling of the said town of North Yarmouth one whole right thro' the Town was granted and given to the first Minister of the Gospel that settled in said Town, to him and his heirs forever, likewise one right reserved for the use of the Ministry in said town two lots of one hundred acres each, being part of said right falling and being within the limits of the northeasterly half of said Town by the division line mentioned in the foregoing vote, and your petitioners' meetinghouse and schoolhouse are * * * * obtained from said Town erected on one of those hundred acre lots, Therefore pray, that those two lots being part of the right reserved for the use of the ministry may be annexed to your petitioners for the use of the ministry among them, and your petitioners as in duty bound shall ever pray.

George Rogers, David Dennison,
James Sherman, Abraham Mitchell, } Committee.
Seward Porter.

In the name and by Order of the Inhabitants of the Northeasterly Part of the Town of North Yarmouth. Dated at North Yarmouth in the County of Cumberland, Feb. 17, 1787.

In Senate, June 21, 1787. Read, and with the papers accompanying, committed to Matthew Mayhew and Isaac Stearns, Esq., with such as the Hon^{ble} House may join, to hear the parties and report. Sent down for concurrence. S. Adams, President.

In the House of Representatives. June 21, 1787. Read and concurred, and Mr. Carnes, Dr. Coney and Mr. Fox are joined.

J. Warren, Speaker.

In Senate, Nov. 4, 1788. Read, and committed with the papers accompanying, to Isaac Stearns, Esq., with such as the Honorable House may join, to consider and report. Sent down for concurrence. Saml. Phillips, Jr., President.

In the House of Representatives. Nov. 4, 1788. Read and concurred, and Mr. Holland and Mr. Wood are joined.

Theo. Sedgwick, Speaker."

"To the Honorable the Senate and the Honorable the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled, May, 1787 :

The Petition of a number of Inhabitants of the Southwesterly part of the town of North Yarmouth, in the County of Cumberland, Humbly sheweth, That the inhabitants of this town have been notified to appear and shew cause (if any they have) on the third Tuesday of the first session of the next General Court, why the prayer of "The Petition of a number of Inhabitants of the Northeasterly part of this Town" praying that one half of the land in said town may be set off a separate town, &c., should not be granted : And that a Committee was appointed at the annual May meeting on the 14th instant to prepare a Draft to lay before the Town at the adjournment of said meeting that day, that the same might be laid before the Honorable Court, "a copy of which is herewith presented," that the meeting being then at said adjournment said Draft was rejected by a majority of twenty-six to twenty-two, the whole number of said twenty-six being Petitioners to be set off, except three, The Petitioners claiming a right to answer their own petition, nor are the Inhabitants of the southwesterly part of the Town in a capacity (as a body) to give their reasons against said petition under the present order of the court.

We therefore pray that an order of court may be issued to the Inhabitants of the Southwesterly part of the Town to appear on some future day and shew cause why the prayer of the aforesaid petition should not be granted, without the petitioners being cited to answer their own petition, and that there may be a reasonable time allowed for the same, and also pray that the tract of land called PROUT'S GORE may be annexed to this Town previous to a division of the same, without which, if divided into two, both might be greatly injured, and as in duty bound we will ever pray. North Yarmouth, 28th May 1787.

David Mitchell. David Chandler. Asa Lewis. Ammi Ruh^{ah} Mitchell. David Hayes. Levi Loring. Benj^a Morgridge. John Hayes. John Gray. John Lewis. John Southworth. Richmond Loring. John Hamilton. Ozias Blanchard. Andrew Gray. David Jones. Jon^a Mitchell."

"Commonwealth of Massachusetts, House of Representatives in General Court assembled :

The Prayer of your Pet^{rs} humbly shews that your Pet^{rs} live at the head of a Gore of Land lying between the towns of Northyarmouth and Brunswick, in the County of Cumberland, and is commonly known by the name of PROUT'S GORE, without the bounds of any Town : and whereas the Inhabitants of the Plantation called Royalsborough have petitioned to be incorporated into a Town and to have a line begin at the northwest corner of the Town of Brunswick and from thence to run the same course with Brunswick line till it comes to Northyarmouth line, which if granted will run across your Pet^{rs} farms, part will be in the new Township and part will be left in said Gore, which will be a great damage to your Pet^{rs}, wherefore the Pet^{rs} apply to your Honours for relief in the case, to whom only it appertains to give the same : and as your Pet^{rs} land is bounded on the head of Prout's Gore, which line begins in Northyarmouth easternmost line, five miles and two hundred rods from the Bay where said line begins, and from thence it runs northeast two miles and a half, and then turning and running southerly till it comes to the northwest corner of Brunswick town line. And your Pet^{rs} pray that your Honours will take the premises into your wise consideration and establish the above said line to be the line between the said Gore and the Town abovesaid, and that your Pet^{rs} may remain as they are till the said Gore be annexed to North Yarmouth or Brunswick, and your Pet^{rs} as in duty bound will ever pray, &c.

Elijah Pinkham. James Woodworth. Stephen Pinkham. James Babbidge. Ezra Jordain. Marlborough Sylvester. Bars-tow Sylvester. James Sawyer. Job Duglas. Elisha Goddard."

[No date to the above, but evidently in 1787.]

"To the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of the town of North Yarmouth in town meeting assembled by adjournment May 28th. 1787 : the Committee appointed at this meeting to draft an answer to the Petition of a number of the Inhabitants of the Northeasterly part of the Town, and the General Court's order thereon, submit the following :

To the Honorable the Senate, and the Honorable the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Mass., in General Court assembled, May, 1787 :

Pursuant to an order of the General Court passed last March,

the Inhabitants of this town have been notified to appear on the third Tuesday of the present session of this Honorable Court and shew cause (if any they have) why the prayer of the Petition of a number of the Inhabitants of the Northeasterly part of this Town to be set off a separate Town should not be granted, and now beg leave to lay before your Honours the following reasons against said Petition in its present form :

First : Waiving the magnified insuperable difficulties of attending public worship, and their great desire to enjoy it,—their building a meeting house, and where, &c., (remote indeed from the centre of their proposed town), we pass to say that at a time of great difficulty and division in this town on account of settling a minister, a vote was obtained as mentioned in said Petition, but from that time till the latter part of last year has lain very much unnoticed, and since that time has been often plead by some of the Petitioners (as served their turn) as of little or no consequence and in effect null and void. That since passing said vote, the circumstances of this town are very much altered, the old part having decreased and the back part of the town westerly of the proposed line of separation increasing it is probable must soon be erected into a separate Parish, which if it should take place and the petition under consideration is granted according to the prayer thereof, will very much discommode and distress the First Parish and render it almost if not altogether inadequate to the support of the Gospel Ministry.

A second reason we would urge against said petition being granted in its present form is the difficulty and confusion that such a division as is prayed for would make in this township by crossing and cutting in various forms about twenty lots of land, leaving part on the other [side] of the dividing line.

Thirdly : We conceive that being incorporated into a district would relieve the inhabitants of the northeasterly part of the town of every grievance and every difficulty complained of, equally with being made a Town, and would be less burdensome to them as well as to the town at large, and much more advantageous to the public in general, by preventing an addition to the number of the Representative Body already (in the opinion of many) too numerous in the Commonwealth, and which perhaps may be one great object of reform that must take place at the revision of the Constitution in the year 1795.

Fourthly : We claim to ourselves no right to dispose of the public lands granted for the use of the Ministry, or any other public lands whatever, and with all due deference to this Honorable Court we know of no Court which *has* taken upon it to grant away, and we trust no Court will make disposal of public ministerial lands without consent of all parties concerned in such lands : and as the first Proprietors of this Township settled in the First

Parish underwent all the hazards and hardships of settling a new Country in a time of War, exposed to all the savage barbarity of an Indian enemy whose tender mercies and cruelty and [*sic*] have left their children and Proprietary successors chiefly in the First Parish, we know of no right that any one has to the enjoyment of the fruits of their labors, toils and sufferings, but themselves and their dependents. Far, very far indeed, from being hardly used by this town the inhabitants of the northeasterly part thereof have annually drawn from the Town Treasury near or quite as much to hire preaching in that part of the town as they have paid towards the support of the Gospel ever since the year 1771 inclusive, and the last and present year it was particularly voted by the town that they should draw the full proportion of what they pay, according to the whole sum raised for that purpose.

A fifth reason we would offer against the said petition being granted according to the present prayer thereof, is the state and situation of a tract of (land without the bounds of any town) called PROUT'S GORE, which begins at the bay and extends near four miles and a half back adjoining the northeasterly end of this town, containing three thousand acres, which with ten or fifteen families thereon has never yet paid any tax to the support of the Government, nor any other public tax whatever, and which might more naturally and conveniently be annexed to the northeasterly part of this town than to any other. Upon the whole, if all matters in which this and the northeasterly part of the town is connected could be reasonably and fairly adjusted and settled, and that part of the said town would pay up their full proportion of all taxes already made or granted, do their proportion towards the support of the poor of the town, and consent to take their full proportion of all future taxes that may be assessed on the town at large according to the present estimate, we should be willing to be divided from them and that the northeasterly part of this town should be set off a separate district in the following manner, viz: All that part of the township of North Yarmouth lying northeasterly of the following lines, viz., beginning on the east side of Royal's River in the back line of this township, in the line between the 450 and 280 acre divisions in the Gore belonging to said township, thence south 64° east between said divisions to the rear line of the old town, thence southwesterly in said rear line to the line between the 100 and 120 acre divisions on the east side of said river in said line, and by the southwesterly end of the lots in Range "A" to the southerly corner of lot No. 30 in said range, thence southeast into the bay, including all the islands in said town on the northeasterly side of said line not owned by any of the inhabitants on the southwesterly side thereof, except the public land for the use of the Ministry, and the right of taxing the same,—excepting also the right of taxing to any other than the

State and Continental tax, therefore lots and parts of lots owned by any of the inhabitants in the southwesterly part of the town, which tract of land contains upwards of 28,000 acres, and with the addition of Prout's Gore before mentioned (should that be annexed) will be nearly the quantity left in the southwesterly part of of said town. But as the above preliminaries in order for a separation, we humbly conceive cannot so well be settled upon the present order of Court as it now stands, by which even the Petitioners themselves as well as the other inhabitants of the town are called upon to appear and shew cause why our prayer should not be granted, we pray this Honorable Court that said order may be altered or that a new one may issue, and instead of the town at large being called upon, the southwesterly part of the town only may be cited to appear on some future day, as the Honorable Court shall determine, and shew cause if any, &c., and as in duty bound shall ever pray.

[Signed] John Lewis. Jon^a Mitchell. David Mitchell.

The above and foregoing is a true copy of the report handed in to the said town of North Yarmouth at the adjournment of their annual May meeting, May 28, 1787, by John Lewis, Jonathan Mitchell and David Mitchell, Esquires, the committee appointed at said meeting for the for the purpose before expressed.

Examined by David Mitchell, Town Clerk.

In town meeting by adjournment from May 14th to May 20th, 1787. The Committee appointed at this meeting to draw up an answer to the petition of the inhabitants of the northeasterly end of this town, relative to being set off a separate town, reported a draft as an answer, which was repeatedly read and a vote being called and tried to see whether the town do accept of said report it passed in the negative, viz., 22 for and 26 against accepting said report.

N.B. Of the 26 against said report, all but 3 belonged to the part petitioned to be set off.

The above is a true copy of the original entry.

Examined by David Mitchell, Town Clerk."

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THE COLE FAMILY.

1 Nathaniel Cole, of Duxbury, Mass. (1679), (see p. 305) married, — —, — —, — —

2 Sarah ———.

Residence: Duxbury, Mass.

Children: COLE.

3 Rebecca; b. Sept. 21, 1680.

4 Mary; b. Nov. 13, 1682.

5 Nathaniel; b. Oct. 11, 1685; m. Abigail West, Aug. 4, 1714.

(6) 6 Ephraim; b. June 14, 1688; d. before Nov., 1756.

(6) Ephraim Cole married, Mar. 2, 1724,—

7 Susanna Waste [Waite?] (193, 1st Ch. Nov. —, 1756; widow when rec'd.)

Residence: Duxbury, Mass.; North Yarmouth, Me. (1753.)

Children: COLE.

(13) 8 Job; b. Mar. 10, 1725.

(26) 9 Noah; b. Mar. 26, 1727.

(38) 10 Rebecca; b. Nov. 28, 1729.

(31) 11 Ebenezer; b. Oct. 28, 1732.

12 Ruth; b. May 5, 1735; (191, 1st Ch., Oct. 17, 1756.)

13 Eunice, b. Feb. 12, 1740.

(8) Job Cole (147, 1st Ch., May 8, 1747), married, Dec. 4, 1748 (pp. 653, 658),—

14 Sarah Reaves.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me. (1st Ch. Cat. says "left town.")

Children: COLE.

15 Susanna; b. Feb. 9, 1750.

16 Mary [Mercy?]; bap. Feb. 13, 1750 (p. 617.)

17 Mary; b. Oct. 6, 1751; bap. Nov. 17, 1751 (p. 618.)

18 Elizabeth; b. Jan. 28, 1754; bap. Mar. 24, 1754 (p. 663.)

19 John; bap. Nov. 14, 1756 (p. 665.)

20 Samuel; b. July 13, 1756; bap. Aug. 15, 1756 (p. 665.)

21 Sarah; b. Jan. 21, 1759; bap. Apr. 30, 1759 (p. 666.)

22 Benjamin; bap. Oct. 27, 1761 (p. 714.)

23 Hannah; bap. Aug. 12, 1764 (p. 715.)

24 William; bap. July 22, 1770 (p. 750.)

25 Rebecca; bap. Aug. 18, 1773 (p. 802.)

26 Rhoda; bap. July 23, 1775 (p. 804.)

(9) Noah Cole (179, 1st Ch., July 13, 1755), married,—

27 Abigail ———.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Children: COLE.

28 Ephraim; b. Jan. 15, 1755; bap. July 13, 1755 (p. 664.)

29 Samuel; bap. Aug. 15, 1756 (p. 665.)

30 John; b. Oct. 16, 1756.

31 Zeruiah; b. — —, 1762; bap. Nov. 14, 1762 (p. 715); (332, 1st Ch., Apr. 25, 1784); d. Mar. 12, 1812.

(11) Ebenezer Cole (198, 1st Ch., Aug. 13, 1758; lived at "Pleasant River"), married, Nov. 17, 1757 (p. 658),—

32 Elizabeth Hall (199, 1st Ch., Aug. 13, 1758.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Children: COLE.

33 Jane; b. Oct. 9, 1758.

34 Joanna; bap. Nov. 5, 1758 (p. 666.)

35 Rebecca; bap. May 18, 1760 (p. 667.)

36 Ruth; bap. May 7, 1762 (p. 714.)

37 Elizabeth; bap. Nov. 9, 1766 (p. 717.)

38 Ebenezer; bap. July 10, 1768 (p. 749.)

(10) Rebecca Cole (169, 1st Ch., Dec. 13, 1752), married, Nov. 7, 1751 (pp. 653, 658),—

39 James Crocker (255, 1st Ch., Apr. 15, 1770; dis. to ch. in Freeport, Dec. 13, 1789.) (Corporal in Revolutionary War.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, and Freeport, Me.

Children: CROCKER.

40 Mary; bap. Dec. 13, 1752 (663.)

41 John [Gowen]; b. May 17, 1754; bap. July 14, 1754 (p. 664.)

42 Ruth; b. Mar. 8, 1756; bap. Apr. 25, 1756 (p. 665.)

43 Nancy [Mercy?]; b. Feb. 12, 1758; bap. Apr. 2, 1758 (p. 666.)

John Cole, of New Casco, had a son Richard baptized at North Yarmouth Feb. 29, 1756 (p. 665.)

Ebenezer Cole [No. 38, above?], had daughter Susanna bap. Nov. 5, 1768 (p. 904.)

Nicholas Cole was driven from North Yarmouth in the first Indian War. and afterwards made Wells his home (p. 606.) For fuller details see pp. 435, 442, 446, 466, 497 and 680.

Benjamin Cole was taxed \$4.07 in North Yarmouth in 1823 (p. 131.)

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THE PETTINGILL FAMILY.

1 Abraham Pettingill was admitted to the church at Salis-

bury, Mass., Sept. 18, 1727. Dec. 26, 1729, he bought of John Stevens, shipwright, of North Yarmouth, one half of the right of Capt. John Alden [Elden? p. 681] in Lot No. 94 (York Deeds, XIII, 204), which indicates about the date of his removal to this town. At one time he was taken captive by the Indians (p. 32.) He was a juror in 1760 (p. 507.) He married, — —, ———, 2 Hannah [Anna? p. 490] ———.

Children: PETTINGILL.

- (13) 3 Mark; bap. Dec. 29, 1728 (in Salisbury.)
 - 4 Ephraim; b. Dec. 28, 1730; bap. Jan. 3, 1731 (p. 492.)
 - 5 Edward; b. Sept. 11, 1732.
- (23) 6 David; b. Sept. 5, 1734.
 - 7 Matthew; b. Oct. 18, 1736; bap. May 15, 1737 (p. 490.)
 - 8 Hannah; b. Aug. 3, 1740; m. Shubael Greely, Nov. 9, 1758 (p. 658.)
- (26) 9 Elisha; b. Apr. 26, 1742.
 - 10 Miriam; b. Feb. 11, 1743; bap. Mar. 25, 1744 (p. 614.)
 - 11 Mary; b. July 8, 1746; bap. as "Molly" Aug. 17, 1746 (p. 615.)
 - 12 Sarah; b. Jan. 29, 1748; bap. Mar. 19, 1749 (p. 616.)
 - 13 Rebecca; b. Apr. 22, 1751; bap. June 16, 1751 (p. 618.)
- (3) Mark Pettingill married, June 13, 1754 (p. 659),—
- 14 Sarah Clough, b. May 18, 1738; dau. of Ebenezer and Anna (Webber) Clough (80, 1st Ch. June 14, 1741.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Children: PETTINGILL.

- 15 Abraham; b. Oct. 4, 1754; bap. May 22, 1757 (665.)
 - 16 Ebenezer; b. Dec. 28, 1756; bap. May 22, 1757 (p. 665.); taxed 1823, \$1,58 (p. 47.)
 - 17 Samuel; b. Apr. 25, 1759; bap. July 29, 1759 (p. 667); farm on Cousins' Island, 1815 (p. 68); see p. 621.
 - 18 Anna; bap. June 13, 1762 (p. 714.)
 - 19 Martha; bap. Oct. 21, 1764 (p. 715.)
 - 20 Miriam; bap. Aug. 16, 1767 (p. 718.)
 - 21 Susanna; bap. Oct. 8, 1769 (p. 749.)
 - 22 Mary; bap. July 12, 1772 p. 752.)
 - 23 Nathaniel; bap. Feb. 25, 1776 (p. 805.)
 - (6) David Pettingill married, Nov. 23, 1758 (p. 660)—
 - 24 Mercy Lake, daughter of Benjamin and Mercy (Eaton) Lake, born Feb. 24, 1740.
- Residence: North Yarmouth and New Gloucester, Maine.
- Children: PETTINGILL.
- 25 Mary; b. Sept. 20, 1759 (N. Gloucester); bap. June 22, 1760 (p. 667.)
 - 26 Benjamin; bap. May 23, 1762 (p. 714.)
 - (9) Elisha Pettingill married, — —, ———,—

27 Rebecca ——— (p. 752.) ; [probably Rebecca Prince ; see No. 30, p. 726, and Nos. 61-63, p. 727.]

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children : PETTINGILL.

28 Hannah ; bap. Nov. 10, 1771 (p. 752.)

29 Jacob ; bap. Aug. 2, 1772 (p. 752) ; taxed as a non-resident, 1823, \$1,30, (p. 47.)

30 Jane ; bap. Aug. 14, 1774 (p. 803.)

31 Levi ; bap. May 12, 1776 (p. 805.)

32 Lucretia ; bap. Aug. 16, 1778 (p. 858.)

Sarah Pettingill married Bradbury True, son of Wiliam True, and had, Samuel ; Phebe, b. 1803, d. Feb. 11, 1846, m. Osborne Corliss (see No. 169, p. 327) ; Betsey ; Dorcas ; Enos ; Rachel ; (see pp. 27, 31 and 32.)

William Pettingill, Cumberland, 1821 (p. 621.) Taxed, in North Yarmouth, 1823, \$1,42 (p. 48.)

Allen Pettingill taxed \$1,42 in 1823 (p. 134.)

Sally Pettingill, pauper, buried May 17, 1850 (p. 335.)

John Pettingill, musician in the militia, Cumberland, 1820 (p. 549) ; also a petitioner for the division of the town (p. 583.)

Rensellaer F. Pettingill, member of Casco Lodge, Yarmouth, May 4, 1866 ; joined Oct. 23, 1866 ; dimitted Aug. 13, 1867.

Eliphalet Pettingill, [Ephraim, No. 4, above?], had son John bap. Nov. 1, 1762 (p. 715.)

Sarah Pettingill, 430, 1st Ch., Oct. 16, 1791, d. May 15, 1795, in Lewiston, married Thomas Jepson.

Samuel P. Pettingill married Abigail Littlejohn ; she was 1177, 1st Ch., Nov. 7, 1858, dismissed to 2d Parish Ch., Portland, Feb. 1. 1878.

Rachel G. Pettingill, 1390, 1st Ch., June 3, 1877, m. ——— Moxcey.

THE SOULE FAMILY.

[DR. CHARLES E. BANKS.]

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[ENOS CHANDLER SOULE⁷ (147), of Newton, Mass.]

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(72) BENJAMIN FRANKLIN SOULE⁷ A. M., (*Charles*⁶ *Moses*⁵

*Barnabas*⁴ *Moses*³ *John*² *George*¹), b. 17 Jan. 1810, married Mary Pierson, daughter of John and Elizabeth (Halsey) Hand, of Bridgehampton, N. Y., who died 4 Sept. 1848. He married for his second wife Eunice, daughter of William Soule, of Bangor, Me.

His parents were poor, hard-working people, in a section where honest labor was held to be a work of honor, if not of distinction. An accident—a fall—resulting in a permanent injury, which rather incapacitated him for a life of manual labor, turned his thoughts toward the acquisition of a more liberal education than was afforded by the common district school. After many years of struggle and discouragement he graduated in 1838 from Wesleyan College, Middletown, Conn. After graduating, on which occasion he was poet of the class, he taught in Mississippi. After several years he purchased a weekly journal, and commenced the life and calling of an editor in January, 1844. Losing the wife of his youth in 1848, after he had become one of the editors and proprietors of the *New Orleans Mercury*, and that journal failing, life having become desolate and almost objectless, he assisted in organizing a company and started for the Golden State, going over the gulf to Corpus Christi, thence across the continent through Mexico, crossing the Colorado May 29, 1849, entering California, and reaching the mines at Sullivan's July 14th. He remained but one year in the mines, and then assumed the temporary editorial charge of the *Alta California*. He conducted the journal zealously and satisfactorily until the return of its proprietors from the East. He was then asked to stand as candidate for the State Senate, and was elected by a majority of about two to one over his opponent, and was the only Whig in the State elected to the Senate in 1851, the Democrats in the Legislature standing twenty-six to two Whigs. In 1853 he, with some others, established the *California Chronicle*, a daily journal which prospered until the Vigilance Committee, in its blind rage, destroyed the journal which had stood up more determinedly than any other in the city or State for the rights of the people and against all dishonesty in city and State legislation. Subsequently Mr. Soule was attached to the *San Francisco Times*, doing all its editorial labor during the months preceding the Presidential election, in which the journal made a vigorous fight, for which he got neither salary nor party favor. He next served as clerk in the Custom-house, soon assuming in addition the position of editorial writer on the *Morning Call*. In 1865, just before the assassination of President Lincoln, the President appointed Mr. Soule Collector of Internal Revenue for the San Francisco district, including also the county of San Mateo. He held this position forty-nine months, when the whirligig of politics put another man in his place. At the end of eight years of faithful service to the Federal Government he had lost every dollar he

possessed in the world, a striking example of the prosperity of honest men who hold Federal offices. From 1872 to 1881 Mr. Soule has been editor of the "old *Alta*." During his life he has given many leisure hours to poetical composition. One of his unpublished poems is destined to be of special interest to Californians, describing the adventures of a youth who followed the sea, visited many strange lands, and experienced many vicissitudes, closing with the stirring times of the advent of the Argonauts, who came from the four quarters of the globe to seek the golden treasure in California. Mr. Soule is one of the authors of a work entitled the "Annals of California," published in early days when authorities were scarce in the State and the current history was written down *currente calamo*.

He has three children living: by his first wife, Frank⁸, b. 6 Aug. 1845, who was graduated from the U. S. Military Academy at West Point in the class of 1865. He was elected Assistant Professor of Mathematics in the University of California, at Berkely, in 1868, and full Professor of Astronomy and Engineering in the same institution in 1874, where he now remains. By second wife: Charles Z.⁸, b. 29 Nov. 1855, a Civil Engineer in San Francisco, and Kitty J. F.⁸, b. 16 Mar. 1861, a school-teacher in that city. This branch of the family write the name with an accent on the final vowel and pronounce the patronymic as a word of two syllables. This mole was adopted by the Hon. Frank Soule, while in New Orleans, under the belief that the emigrant ancestor was a French Huguenot.

(33) JOHN SOULE⁵ (*Barnabas⁴ Moses³ John² George¹*), b. 12 March 1740. Married by Jonas Mason, Esq., to Elizabeth, daughter of Benjamin and Mehitable (Bragdon) Mitchell, 30 Nov. 1763. She was born 29 Sept. 1747; died 26 Dec. 1794. He married, 2d, Elizabeth Stanwood, of Brunswick, 10 Oct. 1795, who died 26 Apr. 1800. He married, 3d, Chloe Josselyn, 17 Apr. 1814, who died 26 Sept. 1831. He was a sea-captain.

Children: SOULE.

73 i Mehitable⁶; b. 12 Apr. 1764; m. David Dennison, Jr., 1 Aug. 1782.

74 ii Dorcas⁶; b. 11 Mar. 1766; m. George Dennison, 21 Aug. 1783.

75 iii Cornelius⁶; b. 1 Mar. 1768.

76 iv Benjamin⁶; (of whom presently.)

77 v John⁶; b. 13 Aug. 1772; d. 14 Nov. 1800, without issue. His widow, Dorothy, m. Bailey Bibber, 3 Aug. 1805.

78 vi Elizabeth⁶; bap. 14 May 1775; m. Deacon John Cushing, Jr., 15 June 1793.

- 79 vii Bradbury⁶ ; m. Elizabeth Felton, 1796, and d. 27 Sept. 1801, and had : Penthia⁷ ; Sarah⁷, m. Jos. Mitchell ; George⁷, m. Celindria Mitchell, dau. of preceding, 6 Dec. 1829, and moved to Bangor.
- 80 viii Joanna⁶ ; m. David Dennison, Senior.
- 81 ix Rufus⁶ ; (of whom presently.)
- 82 x Joseph⁶ ; (of whom presently.)
- 83 xi Barnabas⁶ ; m. Mehitable Wyer, 18 Oct. 1807, d. 7 Feb. 1810. His widow m. John Hamilton, 22 June 1817. He had Elijah⁷ and Rufus⁷, both of whom lived on Chebeague.

(76) BENJAMIN SOULE⁶ (*John⁵ Barnabas⁴ Moses³ John² George¹*), b. 15 Apr. 1770, married Eunice Frost, 14 Oct. 1791. He removed from Freeport to Pownal, where the majority of his descendants still reside. He was interested in military affairs, and was everywhere known as "Major Ben," and his branch of the family is always designated by that appellation.

Children : SOULE.

- 84 i John⁷ ; b. 6 May 1792 ; a sea-captain ; m., 30 Nov. 1815, Mary True, who was b. 16 Feb. 1794 (see No. 38, p. 29, *OLD TIMES*.) He died at Herndon, Virginia, 22 Mar. 1875. He had, Benjamin⁸ ; b. 4 Dec. 1816, and Eunice Frost⁸, b. 3 Feb. 1819.
- 85 ii Phineas⁷ ; b. 2 Mar. 1794 ; m. Elizabeth Noyes, 16 Apr. 1822.
- 86 iii Benjamin⁷ ; b. 4 Jan. 1796 ; m. Joanna York, 1822 ; d. 11 July 1866. He had : Sarah Ann⁸, b. 5 June 1823, m. Charles D. Litchfield, 14 Feb. 1843 ; Benjamin⁸ and Eunice⁸, twins, b. 23 Sept. 1825 ; Elbridge⁸, b. 16 June 1827 ; Joanna⁸, b. 31 May 1832 ; Elizabeth⁸, b. 30 May 1835, m. Cyrus Dunn, 12 Nov. 1856.
- 87 iv Alfred⁷ ; b. 15 Feb. 1798 ; m. Harriet Burnham, and had : Emily⁸, b. 5 Aug. 1826 ; Josiah B.⁸, b. 10 Aug. 1829 ; Lucy B.⁸, b. 15 Dec. 1831 ; Harriet⁸, b. 8 Apr. 1834, d. young ; Harriet E.⁸, b. 20 June 1836 ; Frances⁸, b. 16 June 1838 ; Eleanor⁸, b. 28 Oct. 1842 ; Annie A.⁸, b. 5 Aug. 1845.
- 88 v Dennison⁷ ; b. 15 May 1800 ; m. (1st) Dorothy Mann ; m. (2d) Abigail Osgood. By 1st wife he had : Delia Ann⁸, b. 30 July 1823, m. John A. Osgood, 21 Nov. 1843 ; Ellen J.⁸, b. 30 Oct. 1825, d. 11 Feb. 1844 ; Pomeroy⁸, b. 13 Aug. 1828 ; Sarah Elizabeth⁸, b. 27 Sept. 1834 ; Horatio T.⁸, b. 6 Oct. 1837, d. 28 June 1844 ; Emma L.⁸, b. 3 Aug. 1839, d. 27 Jan. 1844. By 2d wife : Ada Perkins⁸,

- b. 12 Nov. 1852; Emma Chapin⁸, b. 15 Feb. 1856.
- 89 vi William⁷; b. 6 May 1802; m. Eliza Harris, of North Yarmouth, 28 Dec. 1826.
- 90 vii Louisa⁷; b. 12 Apr. 1804; m. John Burnham, 23 Sept. 1823.
- 91 viii Rufus⁷; b. 27 May 1806; by 1st wife, Jane, had: James Talmon⁸, b. 9 Oct. 1832; Caroline⁸, b. 1 Aug. 1834; Henry⁸, b. 11 Mar. 1840.
- 92 ix Washington⁷; b. 24 Jan. 1809; m. Dorcas, daughter of Josiah and Eunice (Merrill) Merrill, 16 Dec. 1830, who was b. 15 Dec. 1810, by whom he had: Phineas⁸, b. 9 Sept. 1832; Eunice Amanda⁸, b. 4 Nov. 1834; George Washington⁸, b. 25 Aug. 1837; Elden A.⁸, b. 4 Mar. 1843; Henry G.⁸, b. 6 Apr. 1845, d. 19 Apr. 1845; Emily L.⁸, b. 9 July 1848; Alfred⁸, b. 11 Mar. 1852; Labertine⁸, b. 18 June 1855, d. young; Jesse Fremont⁸, b. 7 Oct. 1856.
- 93 x James⁷; b. 20 Nov. 1811; (twin with Eunice, 94.)
- 94 xi Eunice⁷; b. 20 Nov. 1811; (twin with James, 93); m. Sanford A. Perkins, 9 July 1834.
- 95 xii Horace⁷; b. 17 Jan. 1814; m. Lorinda Buxton, 6 Feb. 1838; had: Horace A.⁸, b. 13 Dec. 1838, and Harriet E.⁸, b. 12 Apr. 1841.
- 96 xiii Augusta⁷; b. 1 Oct. 1816.
- 97 xiv George Nelson⁷; b. 12 Mar. 1820; by wife Sarah had: George O. D.⁸, b. 22 May 1844; Alfred W. S.⁸, b. 16 Feb. 1846; Nelson P.⁸, b. 15 Oct. 1848; William P.⁸, b. 20 Apr. 1850; Allura⁸, b. 22 Jan. 1852, d. 26 Feb. 1852; Harriet E.⁸, b. 15 Mar. 1853; Eunice E. P.⁸, b. 26 Jan. 1855; Sanford P.⁸, b. 10 Jan. 1857.

(81) RUFUS SOULE⁶ (*John⁵ Barnabas⁴ Moses³ John² George¹*). b. 1785, married (1st), Susan Mitchell, 2 June 1805; married (2d), Philomela Talbot; married (3d), Hannah Small. He was a prominent citizen of Freeport, Maine, serving the town for many years in various positions of trust and honor. He was known among his townsmen as "Honorable Rufus." He died 22 Sept. 1867.

Children:

SOULE.

- 98 i Robert Stanwood⁷; b. 25 Oct. 1806; m. Joanna⁷ (No. 136), dau. of Capt. David⁷ (No. 121) and Cynthia (Litchfield) Soule, of Freeport, 19 July 1833, by whom he had: Mary Helen⁸, b. 5 July 1834, d. 1837; Edward L.⁸, b. 6 June 1838; Sarah Helen⁸, b. 6 May 1840, d. 1841; Susan Frances⁸, b. 19 Feb. 1842, m. Gustavus P. Soule (No. 162);

- Robert H.⁸, b. 13 July 1848, d. 1848; Robert Clinton⁸, b. 25 May 1850 (twin with next), d. 1850; Clarinda Melville⁸, b. 25 May 1850, d. 1851; Annie S.⁸, b. 18 July 1852, m. Capt. Charles W. Ford.
- 99 ii Eliza Ann⁷; b. 11 May 1809; m. Daniel Grant, 10 Feb. 1828.
- 100 iii Susan⁷; b. 2 Oct. 1811; m. Enoch Talbot, 14 Feb. 1830.
- 101 iv Lavinia⁷; b. 7 Mar. 1814; m. John Blethen, 6 Dec. 1832.
- 102 v Harriet Ellen⁷; b. 15 July 1816; m. Edward Melcher.
- 103 vi Rufus Cushing⁷; b. 26 Mar. 1819; m. Ann Robinson, by whom he had: Howard Everett⁸, b. 18 Nov. 1844; Arthur H.⁸, b. 12 July 1850; Evelyn J.⁸, b. 7 Aug. 1854; Stanwood T.⁸, b. 27 Sept. 1858; Henry M.⁸, b. 21 Nov. 1861.
- 104 vii Lucy Ann⁷; b. 17 Apr. 1821; m. Lorenzo Anderson.
- 105 viii George Edwin⁷; b. 1 Mar. 1824; m. Deborah Dillingham, by whom he had: Minerva⁸, b. 29 Aug. 1845; George A.⁸, b. 15 Jan. 1848; Edgar S.⁸, b. 6 Dec. 1851; Flora W.⁸, b. 22 Aug. 1853; Maurilla⁸, b. 15 Nov. 1855; Philomelia Talbot⁸, b. 14 Nov. 1857.
- 106 ix John Bradbury⁷; b. 5 Jan. 1827; d. young.
- 107 x Sarah E.⁷; b. 5 Jan. 1830; d. 16 Apr. 1832.

(82) JOSEPH SOULE⁶ (*John⁵ Barnabas⁴ Moses³ John² George¹*), b. 1788, m. Sarah Coombs, and resided in Freeport. He died 7 Jan. 1860.

Children: SOULE.

108 i Joseph B.⁷; b. 8 July 1836.

109 ii Rufus⁷; b. 23 July 1838.

110 iii Robert⁷; b. 18 May 1840.

(32) CORNELIUS SOULE⁵ (*Barnabas⁴ Moses³ John² George¹*), b. 28 June 1743, married, by David Mitchell, Esq., to Abiel, daughter of Sylvanus and Elizabeth (Johnson) Prince, 30 Nov. 1769, (see No. 311, Prince Family, p. 847, and Nos. 326-330, p. 848.) He resided in Freeport. He died 1 Jan. 1810.

Children: SOULE.

111 i Sylvanus⁶; b. 3 Oct. 1770; m. Phebe, daughter of Abraham and Rhoda (Gray) Mitchell, of North Yarmouth, who was baptized 10 July 1774, and died 16 Aug. 1840. He died 14 May 1839. Children: Reuben⁷, b. 13 Apr. 1795, d. 16 May 1813; Isaac⁷, b. 17 Aug. 1796; Abiel⁷, b. 5 June 1798, d. 15 Aug. 1874, m. Isaac Edes, of Guilford, Maine;

- Lucretia⁷, b. 15 July 1800, d. 8 Jan. 1881, m. Jos. West, 4 Aug. 1821; Elizabeth⁷, b. 12 Apr. 1802, d. 1 May 1875, m. Abraham Mitchell, 15 Apr. 1832; George⁷, b. 8 Feb. 1804, d. 13 Dec. 1834 (lost at sea); Sarah⁷, b. 27 Apr. 1806, d. 27 Aug. 1809; Stearns⁷, b. 15 Aug. 1808, (lost at sea); Rachel⁷, b. 22 Dec. 1811, d. 27 Mar. 1834; Cornelius⁷, b. 13 Mar. 1813; Phebe⁷, b. 3 Aug. 1816, now living (1881) in Carmel, Maine.
- 112 ii Barnabas⁶; b. 1785; m. Hannah Blackstone, 2 Apr. 1809, who d. — Apr. 1819. He d. — June 1816. Children: Charles⁷, b. 2 Sept. 1809, d. — Mar. 1869, in Dayton, Ohio, m. Elizabeth Mead, 1830; Octavia⁷, b. 4 Apr. 1815, m. Benjamin True, of North Yarmouth, 30 Nov. 1835 (see No. 53, p. 30, *OLD TIMES*); Cynthia⁷, b. 4 Dec. 1814.
- 113 iii Edward⁶; m. Eunice, dau. of John Loring, 8 Jan. 1828 (see No. 72, p. 926.)
- 114 iv Cornelius⁶; bap. 10 Dec. 1772; m. Mercy Tuttle, 25 July 1800, and had: Daniel⁷, b. 13 July 1816; Sarah⁷, b. 16 Aug. 1817; Ann⁷, b. 8 June 1818; Reuben⁷, b. 19 Mar. 1822.
- 115 v Jacob⁶; m. Dorcas Prince, 17 Feb. 1799, and had: Sarah⁷, b. 31 Aug. 1799; Dorcas⁷, b. 6 June 1802. m. Seth Rogers; Elizabeth⁷, d. 1810, unmarried; Allison⁷; Thomas⁷; Reuben⁷; Jacob⁷.

(36) SAMUEL SOULE⁵ (*Barnabas⁴ Moses³ John² George¹*), b. 16 June 1752, married Eunice, daughter of Timothy and Margaret (Davis) Davis, 14 Nov. 1782. She was born in North Yarmouth 19 Nov. 1761, baptized 7 May 1762, and died 14 Dec. 1840. He died 15 May 1835.

Children: SOULE.

- 116 i Lydia⁶; b. 24 Sept. 1783; m. Benjamin Webster, 9 Apr. 1803; d. 26 Apr. 1811.
- 117 ii Mary⁶; b. 13 May 1786; m. Joseph Pratt, 22 Oct. 1808. He was b. 22 Sept. 1782 (see p. 648), and d. 21 Nov. 1855. She d. 15 May 1853.
- 118 iii Samuel⁶; b. 8 Apr. 1792; d. from injuries received at the great fire in Portland, 1866.
- 119 iv Timothy Davis⁶; b. 10 Jan. 1795. A trader in Portland, Maine, well known for an honest, upright and conscientious character which marked his long business-life. He married Naucy Deering, daughter of Joel and Pamela (Lincoln) Chandler, of Hingham, Mass., 18 Apr. 1819. She was b. 18 Jan. 1798, and still survives, having been a widow many

years. Children: Timothy Baxter⁷, b. 17 Dec. 1820; Joseph⁷; Henrietta⁷, b. 16 Jan. 1824, d. 27 Aug. 1827; Ellen⁷, b. 27 Mar. 1828, m. Dr. A. K. Carruthers, 15 July 1857; Gustavus Harward⁷, b. 4 Nov. 1830; Julia Webster⁷, b. 30 Aug. 1834, a well-known and successful school-teacher in Portland, Maine.

(38) BARNABAS SOULE⁵ (*Barnabas⁴ Moses³ John² George¹*) b. 25 Mar. 1758; d. 25 Jan. 1823. He married, 17 May 1781, Jane Dennison, b. 1760, d. 5 Mar. 1825. He was a farmer by occupation, living on the old family homestead which was situated on Cousins' River, in Freeport, Maine. He is described as a hard-working man, with a jovial temperament, and was known far and wide as "Uncle Barney" by his townsmen, who always spoke of his memory in the most affectionate terms. His descendants have been celebrated in connection with ship-building interests and commerce.

Children:

SOULE.

120 i David⁶; b. 1 Oct. 1782; d. 14 Feb. 1784.

121 ii David⁶; (of whom presently.)

122 iii Esther⁶; b. 12 Feb. 1785; d. 1862; m. Clement Jordan, 4 Aug. 1805.

123 iv Thomas⁶; b. 20 Oct. 1787; committed suicide.

124 v Jane⁶; b. 5 Sept. 1789; d. 27 Aug. 1800.

125 vi Eliphaz⁶; b. 20 Apr. 1791; unmarried; lost in the Privateer *Dash*, 1813.

126 vii Enos⁶; (of whom presently.)

127 viii Joanna⁶; b. 12 Jan. 1795; d. 24 Aug. 1867; m. Danl. Small, 12 Jan. 1815, who was b. 1 Sept. 1794 and d. 2 Feb. 1881.

128 ix Alfred⁶; (of whom presently.)

129 x Hinchman⁶; (of whom presently.)

130 xi Jane Bradbury⁶; b. 16 Nov. 1801.

131 xii William⁶; b. 16 Oct. 1803; lost off Cape Sable, 1827.

132 xiii Clement⁶; (of whom presently.)

(121) DAVID SOULE⁶ (*Barnabas⁵ Barnabas⁴ Moses³ John² George¹*), b. 12 Feb. 1783, married Cynthia Litchfield, 27 Aug. 1808. She was born in 1787 and died in 1865, having been a widow nearly twenty years. He died in 1846.

Children:

SOULE.

133 i Cynthia⁷; b. 18 Oct. 1809.

134 ii Mary Jane⁷; b. 14 Mar. 1811.

135 iii Mary⁷; b. 9 Apr. 1813.

136 iv Joanna⁷; b. 29 June 1815; m. Robert Stanwood Soule⁷, No. 98.

- 137 v Sarah Jane⁷ ; b. 11 Nov. 1817.
 138 vi David Bradbury⁷ ; b. 3 Apr. 1820 ; m. Lucretia Randall ; had : George Augustus⁸, b. 18 Dec. 1848 ; Mary Prince⁸, b. 16 Nov. 1850 ; Frederick⁸, b. 21 July 1853 ; Henry B.⁸, b. 21 Sept. 1855 ; William H.⁸, b. 6 Apr. 1858.
 139 vii George Washington⁷ ; b. 29 June 1822.
 140 viii Helen Louisa⁷ ; b. 1 July 1824.
 141 ix Pamela Lincoln⁷ ; b. 5 Nov. 1826.
 142 x William Harriden⁷ ; b. 9 Sept. 1830.

(123) THOMAS SOULE⁶ (*Barnabas⁵ Barnabas⁴ Moses³ John² George¹*), b. 20 Oct. 1787. He married, (1st), Bethiah Dunham, 31 Dec. 1815, and, (2d), Sarah Follansbee, 14 Oct. 1821. By his first wife he had two children, and by the second wife one child. He died in 1824.

Children : SOULE.

- 143 i Bethiah⁷ ; b. 27 Oct. 1817.
 144 ii Eliza⁷ ; b. 26 Feb. 1820.
 145 iii Joseph Thomas⁷ ; b. 5 Aug. 1822.

(126) ENOS SOULE⁶ (*Barnabas⁵ Barnabas⁴ Moses³ John² George¹*), b. 29 Nov. 1792. He early chose the life of a sailor, and rose by gradual but certain steps to the command of some of the largest ships that left the harbors of Maine. After retiring from this branch of his life-work, he engaged in building ships in connection with his brothers Henchman (129) and Clement (132) and together they were actively interested in this business for nearly a quarter of a century. It is not necessary to call attention to the character of the vessels that were launched at their yard in Freeport, for their ships are famous wherever the flag is carried. Some of the staunchest and handsomest vessels ever built in this or any other state were constructed and launched under their supervision, comprising ten large ships, five barks, two brigs and three schooners.

Capt. Soule served in the war of 1812, in which he was taken prisoner, and suffered the horrors of Dartmoor Prison for two years. In all the relations of life he was a model citizen, public-spirited and patriotic, and of unbending integrity. He married Sarah, daughter of David and Rebecca (Chandler) Pratt, in 1817. She was born 30 June 1798 (see p. 648.) He died 8 Nov. 1869.

Children : SOULE.

- 146 i Francis B.⁷ ; b. 6 July 1818, m. Eliza W. Wait, and had : Edgar de Lettre⁸, b. 20 Sept. 1847 ; Wilhelmina⁸, b. 26 Sept. 1848 ; Frances E.⁸, b. 21 May 1850 ; Sidney S.⁸, b. 11 May 1856 ; Norman P.⁸, b. — Apr. 1857.

- 147 ii Enos Chandler⁷; b. 4 June 1820. He began a sea-faring life when only seventeen years of age, became master in 1846 and so continued till 1860 when he retired to settle the estate of his uncle Henchman Soule (129.) He began building vessels in the old yard so long occupied by his father, and under his supervision seven large ships a brig and a schooner were launched. He stopped building in 1878, under the conviction that iron will soon replace wood in naval architecture. He is now engaged in managing his vessels afloat, and represents, perhaps, the last of the old regime of ship-masters who sailed from Freeport in her palmy days. He now resides in Newton, Mass. He m. Helen L. Gore, and had: Herman C.⁸, b. 19 Feb. 1858; Sarah H.⁸, b. 23 Mar. 1860; Clara G.⁸ b. 3 Dec. 1863; William G.⁸, b. 24 Sept. 1866; Frank Enos⁸, b. 14 Jan. 1869; Elizabeth N.⁸, b. 2 Mar. 1871; Leonora N.⁸, b. 12 Apr. 1872; Walter S.⁸, b. 14 Dec. 1875; Laura⁸, b. 16 Feb. 1877.
- 148 iii Martha Jane⁷; b. 6 July 1822; d. 20 Feb. 1826.
- 149 iv Laura Ann⁷; b. 15 Sept. 1824.
- 150 v Lydia Lincoln⁷; b. 23 July 1827.
- 151 vi Horace B.⁷; b. 21 Feb. 1830; m. Emeline Talbot, and had: Horace Everett⁸, b. 27 July 1861; Maud Hamor⁸, b. 10 Mar. 1864; Lina Frances⁸, b. 5 Aug. 1868; Paul Henchman⁸, b. 25 June 1875; Thatcher H.⁸, b. 30 June 1877.
- 152 vii Barnabas⁷; b. 16 Mar. 1832.
- 153 viii Emily⁷; b. 2 Oct. 1834.
- 154 ix Ellen⁷; b. 8 Dec. 1836.
- 155 x Margaret Pratt⁷; b. 25 May 1839.
- 156 xi Julius⁷; b. 11 Feb. 1842.
- 157 xii Henrietta C.⁷; b. 25 Apr. 1844.

(128) ALFRED SOULE⁶ (*Barnabas⁵ Barnabas⁴ Moses³ John² George¹*), b. 23 June 1797, married Martha, daughter of Ambrose, Jr., and Jane (Pickerman) Talbot, of Freeport, 5 Nov. 1820. She was born 16 May 1801 (see p. 648.) He died - Feb. 1824.

Children : SOULE.

158 i Emeline⁷; b. 15 Jan. 1823.

159 ii Alfred⁷; b. 20 May 1824.

(129) HENCHMAN SOULE⁶ (*Barnabas⁵ Barnabas⁴ Moses³ John² George¹*), b. 2 Aug. 1799, married Pamela, daughter of Jacob and Bethiah (Talbot) Lincoln, of Freeport, 17 Aug. 1823,

who was born 11 Jan. 1804 (see p. 648), and died 28 Feb. 1825. He married, 2d, 23 Aug. 1826, Lydia Lincoln, a younger sister of his first wife, who was born 27 Jan. 1810 (see p. 648.) He died 2 Mar. 1860, in New Haven, Conn. He will be principally remembered in connection with ship-building, being interested with his brother Enos (126) mentioned above.

Children : SOULE.

- 160 i [Infant⁷] ; b. Mar. 1823 ; d. same month.
- 161 ii Eliza Lincoln⁷ ; b. 20 Aug. 1831.
- 162 iii Nathan L.⁷ ; b. 28 Aug. 1834.
- 163 iv Arthur H.⁷ ; b. 9 Aug. 1837.
- 164 v Gustavus P.⁷ ; b. 28 May 1839 ; m. Susan Frances, dau. of Robert S. (98) and Joanna (Soule) Soule (136), and had : Guy H. S.⁸, b. 25 July 1875.
- 165 vi Walter S.⁷ ; b. 24 Feb. 1841.
- 166 vii Arthur⁷ ; b. 17 Apr. 1844.
- 167 viii Anne Caroline⁷ ; b. 29 June 1846.
- 168 ix Lula⁷ ; b. 14 Nov. 1849.
- 169 x Bertha⁷ ; b. 22 Jan. 1851.
- 170 xi Edward⁷ ; b. 23 Jan. 1855.

(132) CLEMENT SOULE⁶ (*Barnabas⁵ Barnabas⁴ Moses³ John² George¹*), b. 20 July 1807, married Mary Jane, daughter of Ambrose, Jr., and Jane (Pickerman) Talbot, of Freeport, 23 Feb. 1831, who was born 20 Feb. 1811 (see p. 648.) He died 10 June 1871, in Passaic, N. J., where some of his family still live. He was an eminent ship-builder, in connection with his elder brothers.

Children : SOULE.

- 171 i Robert Talbot⁷ ; b. 5 Feb. 1834 ; d. 15 Sept. 1854.
- 172 ii Fred A.⁷ ; b. 13 May 1838.
- 173 iii Clement M.⁷ ; b. 11 Jan. 1841.
- 174 iv Fred A.⁷ ; b. 18 Apr. 1845.
- 175 v Frances N.⁷ ; b. 3 Apr. 1848.
- 176 vi Mary H.⁸ ; b. 14 May 1853.

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RECORD OF BAPTISMS,

AT THE

FIRST CHURCH, NORTH YARMOUTH.

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1797.

Feb. 12 Polly, dau. of Nathaniel & Joanna Scales. 19 Christina [No. 330, p. 936], dau. of Solomon & Hannah Loring ; Levi,

son of John & Sarah Davis.

Mar. 5 Jacob [No. 45, p. 250], son of Ammi R. & Phebe Mitchell.

Apr. 2 William, son of Nathaniel & Hannah Gordon.

May 14 Rebecca, dau. of Nathan & Betsey Safford.

June 4 Jonas Mason, son of John & Patience Oakes.

July 2 Leach Drinkwater, son of Pyam Prince [111, p. 730] and Martha Leach Prince, deceased; Nathaniel, son of Hannah Wyman. 9 Rachel, dau. of Jacob & Jane Hayes.

Aug. 20 William [66, p. 768], son of John & Elizabeth Cutter; Lucretia Loring [85, p. 769], dau. of Levi & Lucretia Cutter. 23 (At Chebeag) David, son of David Chandler; Joel, son of Rufus Chandler; Jacob, son of Solomon Sawyer; Josiah, son of Jesse Soule; Nathaniel, son of widow ——— Clinton.

Sept. 24 Sarah Hobart, dau. of Asa & Lucy Lewis; Enos, son of William & Lorana Wyman.

Nov. 19 Rachel [71, p. 251], dau. of Jacob & Phebe Mitchell.

Dec. 31 William, son of John Small.

1798.

Jan. 14 Harriet, dau. of Jacob & Rosanna Merrill.

Feb. 11 Reuben, [71, p. 390], son of Daniel & Rebecca Drinkwater; Elizabeth, dau. of Jonathan & Bethiah Moulton.

Mar. 11 Philip [78, p. 768], son of Ammi & Hannah Cutter.

Apr. 15 Eliza Mitchell, dau. of John & Jane Hayes.

May 13 Jonas, son of Samuel & Sarah Mason; Hannah [44, p. 835], dau. of Ebenezer & Molly Humphrey.

June 10 Rachel [50, p. 835], dau. of Joshua & Phebe Humphrey; Edward, son of Edward Wilson. 17 Charles, son of Hezekiah Hill; Richmond, son of Nathaniel & Joanna Scales; Dorcas, dau. of Eleazer Hill.

July 1 John, son of John Hamilton. 4th, & Hannah his wife, she in cov't with the 2d ch. in Portland. 15 Dorcas [81, p. 252], dau. of Nicholas Loring Mitchell & Nancy, his wife.

Aug. 12 Ammi Ruhamah, son of Samuel & Eunice Doten. 19 Sally, dau. of Zadock & Rachel Whitcomb; Asa son of Wm. & Lorana Wyman.

Sept. 23 David Mitchell [86, p. 769], son of Levi & Lucretia Cutter.

Nov. 4 Hannah [104, p. 391], dau. of Allen & Hannah Drinkwater.

1799.

Feb 10 Tristram Gilman [46, p. 250], son of Ammi Ruhamah Mitchell & Phebe his wife. 24 Elias, son of Dr. David & Elizabeth Jones.

Mar. 17 Samuel, son of Thaddeus & Rhoda Robbins.

Apr. 25 Jane, dau. of John & Sarah Davis (born after the death of its father. [29, p. 766.])

May 26 John Bourn, son of Timothy Barker.

July 1 William, son of Samuel Pierce; Mary [67, p. 768], dau. of John & Elizabeth Cutter. 14 Rufus, son of Nicholas Loring (at Walnut Hill.)

Aug. 15 (At a lecture at Eben Corliss') Lydia & Robert Elwell [52 and 53, p. 287], children of Eben & Lydia Corliss; Mary Baker, dau. of Nathan & Betsey Safford; Ruth Baston, dau. of John Gooch.

Sept. 18 (At a lecture at David Chandler's, Chebeag) Asa, son of David Chandler; Deborah, dau. of Solomon Sawyer; Robert, son of Wentworth Ricker; Daniel, son of Daniel & Rachel Waite; Eunice, dau. of Jesse Soule; Alfred, son of Rufus Chandler. 22 Alexander, Rudduck, Levi Gray, Louisa, & Mary Ann [343-347, pp. 848-849], ch. of John & Mary Prince.

Nov. 3 Israel & Hannah, ch. of John & Hannah Trow. 24 Evelina, dau. of Samuel & Rebecca Pierce.

1800.

Jan. 12 Nathaniel son of Nathaniel & Hannah Gordon.

Feb. 9 Betsey [277, p. 933], dau. of Jeremiah & Jane Loring. 23 John, son of Jacob & Rosanna Merrill; Eliza Parsons, dau. of Capt. — & — Babson (she being in cov't with a church in Gloucester); Harriet [87, p. 769], dau. of Levi & Lucretia Cutter.

Mar. 9 Daniel, son of Joseph & Sarah Ludden (of Turner.)

Apr. 6 Rachel Dennis [82, p. 252], dau. of Nicholas Loring and Nancy Mitchell. 20 Pene ope, dau. of John & Jane Hayes. 23 (At a lecture at Mr. Pomroy's, New Casco), Betsey, dau. of William Titcomb; Content, dau. of Joseph Johnson; Lucy, dau. of John Mason.

May 25 Richmond [72, p. 251], son of Jacob & Phebe Mitchell.

June 8 Dolly True [51, p. 835], dau. of Joshua & Phebe Humphrey. 29 Mercy, dau. of William & Lorana Wyman; William, son of Thaddeus & Rhoda Robbins.

July 13 Nancy, dau. of Samuel & Sarah Mason. 27 Achsah, dau. of Zadock & Rachel Whitecomb; Philip, son of Benjamin, Jr., & Nelly Sweetser.

Aug. 3 Elizabeth, dan. of John, 4th, & Hannah Hamilton. 17 Reuben [68, p. 768], son of John & Elizabeth Cutter. 31 Rhoda, dau. of Levi & Lydia Loring; Levi, son of Jacob & Jane Hayes.

Oct. 5 Peggy Greely, an adult. Charles, son of John Small. John, son of John & Hannah Trow. 19 Dorothy, Jeremiah Bucknam & Lucretia [43, 42 and 44, p. 881], ch. of Samuel & Deborah Loring. 26 Charlotte [348, p. 849], dau. of John & Mary

Prince.

Dec. 7 Desire Stetson, Sabrina Henschman & Amelia Turner [179-181, p. 764], ch. of Ammi & Desire Prince.

1801.

Jan. 11 Watson Gray [105, p. 392], son of Allen & Hannah Drinkwater. 18 Jacob Gray [243, p. 931], son of Thomas & Phebe Loring. 25 Marinda, dau. of Timothy Barker.

Feb. 1 Caroline [79, p. 768], dau. of Ammi & Hannah Cutter; Mary Ann [45, p. 835], dau. of Ebenezer & Molly Humphrey.

Apr. 19 Anna, dau. of Hezekiah Hill; Lucy, dau. of Eleazer Hill.

May 17 Zenas, son of Nathaniel & Joanna Scales; William [88, p. 769], son of Levi & Lucretia Cutter. 24 Hannah, dau. of John, 4th, & Hannah Hamilton.

June 21 Phebe [47, p. 250], dau. of Ammi R. & Phebe Mitchell.

July 19 Nicholas, son of Nicholas Loring [56, p. 928], Walnut Hill.

Aug. 2 Daniel Fisher [72, p. 390], son of Daniel & Rebecca Drinkwater.

Sept. 9 Sarah, dau. of Rufus Chandler, (at Chebeag.)

Oct. 11 Huldah [278, p. 933], dau. of Jeremiah & Jane Loring (Walnut Hill.)

1802.

Feb. 17 (At a lecture at William Loring's), Richmond [45, p. 881], son of Samuel & Deborah Loring; John Derby, son of Nathan & Betsey Safford.

Apr. 25 Lucretia [85, p. 252], dau. of Nicholas Loring & Nancy Mitchell; Lucretia [69, p. 768] dau. of John & Elizabeth Cutter.

May 16 William, son of John & Jane Hayes.

July 11 William, son of Nathaniel & Joanna Scales. 25 Sophronia, dau. of Samuel & Sarah Mason; Harriet, dau. of Jacob & Rosanna Merrill.

Sept. 19 Jacob [73, p. 251], son of Jacob & Phebe Mitchell; Edward, son of John Small. 29 Reuben, son of Jesse Soule; John, son of Eleazer Hill (baptized at a lecture at Chebeag.)

Oct. 13 Lois [193, p. 930], dau. of Levi & Lydia Loring (at a lecture at Madame Loring's.)

1803.

Jan. 2 Sarah Ann [80, p. 768], dau. of Ammi & Hannah Cutter; Joseph [106, p. 392], son of Allen & Hannah Drinkwater.

Feb. 20 Angela [89, p. 769], dau. of Levi & Lucretia Cutter.

Apr. 3 Deborah Loring, dau. of John & Hannah Trow.
 May 1 Emery, son of Jonathan & Bethiah Moulton.
 June 26 Ebenezer Robbins, son of Samuel & Eunice Doten.
 July 31 Sarah, dau. of John, 4th, & Hannah Hamilton.
 Oct. 9 Sarah Jane [48, p. 250], dau. of Ammi R. & Phebe Mitchell. 16 John Hayes [279, p. 933], son of Jeremiah & Jane Loring.

1804.

May 13 Sarah, dau. of John & Jane Hayes.
 June 18 Parker McCobb [83, p. 252], son of Nicholas L. & Nancy Mitchell; Joseph [49, p. 882], son of William & Anne Loring.
 July 8 Julia Ann [142, p. 397], dau. of John & Pamela Drinkwater.
 Aug. 12 Lemuel & Ebenezer, sons of Joseph Hicks (at Walnut Hill.)
 Sept. 23 James Derby, son of Nathan & Betsey Safford.
 26 Jara Leonard, son of Jesse Soule (at Chebeag); Jane, dau. of Wentworth Ricker.
 Oct. 14 Nathaniel, son of Nathaniel & Joanna Scales; Elizabeth [70, p. 768], dau. of John & Elizabeth Cutter.
 Nov. 11 Elizabeth Jane [90, p. 769], dau. of Levi & Lucretia Cutter.

1805.

Feb. 24 Jane Talman, dau. of Dr. David & Elizabeth Jones.
 Apr. 14 Caleb Strong, son of Nathaniel Jenks; Samuel Peters, son of Amasa & Amy Baker. 28 Nathaniel Bennett, son of John & Hannah Trow.
 May 12 Ebenezer, son of Ebenezer [(20), p. 835] & Molly Humphrey. 30 Mary Richmond, dau. of Levi Loring [28, pp. 929-930]. (at a lecture at his house.)
 Sept. 11 Rebecca, dau. of Rufus Chandler (at a lecture at Chebeag.) 15 Charlotte [107, p. 392], dau. of Allen & Hannah Drinkwater. 21 Jane, dau. of Eleazer Hill.
 Oct. 2 Samuel, Foxwell, Mary Leach, Woodbury, Bela & Nathaniel, ch. of Seth & Hephzibah Blanchard; Hannah Beck, dau. of Nathaniel Cross, of Portland; Joseph, son of Nathaniel Blanchard, Jr.; (the above eight children baptized at a lecture at Mr. Seth Blanchard's.)
 Dec. 15 Almira Elwell [86, p. 884, Mary Ann Bearce [87, p. 884], & Sarah Mason [p. 884], ch. of Richmond, 3d, [57, p. 884] & Dolly Loring.

1806.

Feb. 24 Olive Gray, dau. of Thaddeus & Rhoda Robbins (at a

lecture at Capt. Waite's, at Freeport.)

Apr. 7 Horace [94, p. 884] son of Nicholas Loring (at Walnut Hill.) 20 Rachel Cutter, dau. of John & Jane Hayes.

July 6 Lucretia Chase, dau. of Isaiah & Mary Booker. 20 Othniel Sewall, son of Dummer Mitchell.

Aug. 7 Mary Ann, dau. of Joshua Mitchell (at a Fast at Walnut Hill.)

Sept. 24 Theodore, John, Elihu & Elizabeth Roberts, ch. of Amos Main Hayes [see p. 604], (at a lecture at his house.) 28 Amy, dau. of Amasa & Amy Baker.

Oct. 5 Samuel & Almira, ch. of Joseph Hutchins (at Freeport.) 26 Frederick Augustus & Ann Maria, ch. of Mrs. Elizabeth Grace [35, p. 250], their father having died some years ago.

Nov. 23 Phebe, dau. of Richmond Loring [57, p. 884.]

Dec. 2 Narcissa [49, p. 250], dau. of Dr. Ammi R. & Phebe Mitchell.

1807.

May 10 Nathaniel Coit Allen, son of Nathaniel Jenks.

June 14 Thomas, son of Nathaniel & Joanna Scales.

Aug. 5 Phebe [71, p. 768], dau. of John Cutter (at a lecture at Dr. Mitchell's.) 17 James Johnson, father of the following children: Lucy (married), Abner, James, Sarah, Edward, Lewis & Abigail (the father and children all baptized by Mr. Miltmore at a lecture on Chebeag.)

Sept. 19 Ebenezer Washington, Esther Sargent, Eliza & Payne Elwell [54, 55, 56 & 57, pp. 287-288], ch. of Ebenezer & Lydia Corliss (at a lecture at his house); William Baston & James, sons of John Gooch (at the above lecture.)

Oct. 25 Harriet [108, p. 392], dau. of Allen & Hannah Drinkwater.

1808.

July 9 Elizabeth, dau. of Capt. Samuel Mason. 17 Robert, Harriet & Asa Clapp, ch. of Capt. Bela Blanchard. 31 Rachel, Thomas Trow, Edmund, Deborah Jane and Caleb Strong, ch. of Edmund & Jane Cleaves.

Aug. 7 Mary Ann, dau. of John & Hannah Trow. 14 Pamela [143, p. 397], dau. of John, Jr., & Pamela Drinkwater; Nancy, dau. of Nathaniel Jenks.

Nov. 8 Jane, dau. of John & Jane Hayes.

1809.

Jan. 8 Hannah Cushing [81, p. 768], dau. of Ammi & Hannah Cutter (by Mr. Dutton); Anna, dau. of Amasa & Amy Baker. 24 Baptized at a lecture on Cousins' Island, at B. Thompson's, by Rev. Mr. Dutton, William, an adopted son of Rowland &

Mary Hamilton, offered by Mrs. Hamilton after her husband's decease; Joseph Green, Samuel & Mary Jane [414, 415 & 416, p. 901], ch. of Beals & Rachel Thompson.

July 30 John [72, p. 768] son of John & Elizabeth Cutter; Tristram, son of Edmund & Jane Cleaves (baptized by Rev. Mr. Milmore.)

Aug. 6 Allen [109, p. 392], son of Allen & Hannah Drinkwater (baptized by Rev. Mr. Herrick.) (28.1 89AT)

(To be continued.)

GENEALOGICAL NOTES.

(Continued from page 910.)

ALLEN.—(Continued from p. 872) Elijah Allen, of Harpswell, int. of m. with Bethiah Frieze, Jan. 26, 1762; m. Mar. 4 (p. 395.)

Ebenezer Allen m. Lorana Stubbs, June 18, 1789 (p. 725.)

Allen Family, of Pownal, see pp. 600, 601, 785.

John Allen m. Rachel Worthley (she bap. Aug. 12, 1764, p. 715) Mar. 9, 1791 (p. 725), see No. 7, p. 786.

James Allen m. Hannah Penley, Aug. 27, 1790 (p. 725.)

William H. Allen, b. Dec. 24, 1822, m. Olive R. Porter; for family see p. 919

Hannah Allen, bap. May 23, 1742 (pp. 613, 872), was No. 100 1st Ch, being then an adult. Sept. 27, 1745, she int. m. with George Bartol, of Falmouth, pp. 32, 395, 653; m. Apr. 17, 1746 (p. 657.)

ANDERSON.—(Continued from p. 872) Jacob (see p. 872) int. of m. with Agnes Phinney Aug. 31, 1745 (p. 653), m. Dec. 10, 1745 (p. 657.) For ch. see p. 872.

ATTWATER.—Joshua Attwater, of Boston, son of Joshua (who owned land in North Yarmouth in 1690) and Mary Attwater. Mary Attwater m., 2d. ——— Higginson (pp. 216, 412, 683.)

ATWELL.—John Atwell, Aug. 15, 1685, when he is called "of Casco, fisherman," bought 60 acres of land joining Thos. Maines. May 18, 1727 he drew Lot 90, (p. 629.) Apr. 29, 1729 (1727, p. 411?), with wife Margaret, both of Lynn, conveys 10 acres to Lieut. John Brintnall, of Boston, and is there called a grandson of John Maines (pp. 411, 856.)

ASHFELL.—William Ashfell was granted 14 acres Nov. 15, 1685 (p. 488) May 18, 1727, his assigns drew Lot 36 (p. 623),

also see p. 624, under date of Feb. 23, 1727. Sept. 15, 1729, Isaac Willey and wife Sarah, of Lyme, Conn., said Sarah being one of the daughters of William Ashfell, late of No. Yarmouth, deceased, convey land in North Yarmouth (p. 681.)

BLACKSTONE [BLAXTON?].—(Continued from p. 910) Mehitable, Blackstone, dau. of Benjamin & Mehitable, bap. June 5, 1737 (p. 492.)

BRADBURY.—(Continued from p. 874) Wyman, son of Jacob & Lydia, bap. June 15, 1783 (p. 901.)

BLASHFIELD.—Thomas Blashfield, Nov. 14, 1685, is granted 60 acres of land (p. 488.) July 16, 1688, he petitions for 100 acres in addition to 60 he has at Broad Cove and 7 on the east side of Cousins' River, which he asks may be confirmed to him; says he has possessed this land seven years, and was then living thereon (p. 223.) Aug. 9, 1706, with wife Abigail, both then of Beverly, conveys 64 acres to John Watts, of Salem (p. 854), who, Apr. 23, 1730, conveys it to John Smith, of Boston (pp. 853-854.)

A town-meeting was held at his house in North Yarmouth, Feb. 24, 1685 (p. 486.) In 1686, he administered on the estate of Roger Edwards, deceased.

Dec. 4, 1730, Jonathan Tuttle, Jr., and wife Sarah, of Woburn, conveys to John Dabney, of Boston, Lot 47, granted to Thomas Blashfield's assigns May 18, 1727 (pp. 219, 628, 686.)

BLINNING.—Hugh Blinning drew Lot 69, May 18, 1727 (p. 629.) July 10, 1729, Benjamin Atkinson, of Boston, conveys to John Stearns Lot 69, 10 acres, laid out to "Hugh Blenheim" (p. 684), who, Apr. 2, 1732, sells to Joseph Drinkwater, of No. Yarmouth, all the "after divisions belonging to Lot 69, said lot being already sold to me by James Russell as originally laid out to Hugh Blanning (p. 742.)

Nov. 8, 1734, Edward King conveys to Phineas Jones Lot 69, laid out to Hugh Blinning (p. 795.)

Dec. 4, 1734, Phineas Jones conveys to John Powell parts of a gore or triangular lot of land laid out to John Stearns, Samuel Larrabee and Hugh Blinning (p. 796.)

Dec. 23, 1734, Edward King conveys to John Powell 100 acres on east side of Royal's River, drawn in the right of Hugh Blinning, being Lot 25 (p. 795.)

CLOUGH.—1 Ebenezer Clough married, May 28, 1736 (p. 658),

2 Ann Webber (80, 1st Ch. June 14, 1741.)

Children:

CLOUGH.

3 Ebenezer; b. Feb. 5, 1736-7.

4 Sarah; b. May 18, 1738; bap. June 14, 1741 (p. 613); m. Mark Pettingill, June 13, 1754 (p. 659); see No. 14, Pettingill Family, p. 968.

5 Mary ; b. July 22, 1740 ; bap. June 14, 1741 (p. 613.)

6 Samuel ; b. July 16, 1742 ; bap. Aug. 15, 1742 (p. 613) ; d. Jan. 29, 1743.

7 Rhoda ; b. Apr. 20, 1744 ; bap. May 13, 1744 (p. 614.)

8 Jacob ; b. Jan. 28, 1746 ; bap. Aug. 7, 1746 (p. 615) ; d. Aug. 22, 1746.

9 Isaac ; b. Aug. 5, 1747 ; bap. Oct. 25, 1747 (p. 616.)

10 Ebenezer ; b. Sept. 15, 1751 ; bap. Oct. 5, 1751 (p. 618) ; (see p. 509.)

11 Patience ; bap. Dec. 15, 1754 (p. 664.)

12 Rhoda ; bap. Apr. 12, 1761 (p. 714.)

Amos Clough (412, 1st Ch., Sept. 4, 1791, dis. to ch. in Cumberland Nov. 23, 1794) ; bap. Sept. 4, 1791 (p. 941) ; had,—

Levi	}	bap. Sept. 14, 1791 (p. 941.)
Simeon		
Amos		
John		

CUSHMAN.—1 Isaiah Cushman (354, 1st Ch. May 1, 1791, dis. to ch. in Turner Aug. 21, 1803) ; m.,—

2 Sarah Lobdel (374, 1st Ch., July 21, 1794, dis. to ch. in Turner Aug. 21, 1803.) They had :

3 Levi ; 4 Seriah (son) ; 5 Sarah ; 6 Hannah ; 7 Lydia ; 8 Lucy ; (all bap. Aug. 7, 1791, p. 941) ; 9 Jenny, bap. Nov. 18, 1792 (p. 943) ; 10 Dorcas, bap. Mar. 15, 1795 (p. 945.)

Isaac Cushman, Esq., of Pownal, m., Feb. 4, 1831, Lucy Parsons, of North Yarmouth, his fourth wife (p. 102.)

CROCKER.—1 John Crocker [No. 41, p. 967?] and wf. (2) Margaret (415, 1st Ch., dis. to ch. in Cumberland. Nov. 9, 1794) ; had : 3 Warren ; 4 Timothy ; 5 John [840, 1st Ch., June 5, 1831, lost at sea 1833?] ; 6 William ; 7 Jacob ; 8 James ; 9 Miles Davis ; 10 Lee ; (all bap. Sept. 22, 1791, p. 941) ; 11 Sarah, bap. May 9, 1793 (p. 944.)

CURTIS.—Joshua Curtis, d. Oct. 10 1758, wf. Ruth, had ch. : Benjamin, b. Nov. 17, 1740 ; Rebecca, b. Apr. 7, 1743 ; Mary, bap. July 20, 1746 (p. 615.)

CUDIFORD [CREDIFORD?].—Josiah Crediford m. Mary Mitchell, May 2, 1757 (p. 658), and had : William, b. Sept. 19, 1757.

CHASE.—Benjamin Chase (Flying Point), wf. ———, had : Elizabeth, bap. Jan. 14, 1766 (p. 716) ; Susanna, bap. Sept. 30, 1770 (p. 750.)

1 Humphrey Chase, of Amesbury, Mass., (268, 1st Ch. Cat. June 16, 1771, d. Aug. 27, 1818, aged 86), (see pp. 504, 930), married, — — —, — — —,

2 Elizabeth Loring. (31, p. 881) dau. of Rev. Nicholas and Mary (Richmond) Loring, b. Feb. 22, 1746, (269, 1st Ch. June 16, 1771)

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : Farmer ; house-joiner.

Children :

CHASE.

3 Thomas ; bap. Aug. 11, 1776 (p. 805) ; deacon 1st Ch. ; a merchant in North Yarmouth ; 734, 1st Ch., May 5, 1822, from 2d Ch , Portland ; d. June 3, 1858, aged 83 ; m. 1st, Mary E. Noyes, 735, 1st Ch. May 5, 1822, from 2d Ch. Portland, d. Apr. 9, 1835, aged 55 ; m. 2d, Sarah (Hodgkins) Baker, (widow of John), 934, 1st Ch. Dec. 4, 1836, from High St. Ch., Portland, d. Apr. 13, 1874 ; no male heirs alive ; had son Hosea J., who m. Julia H. Seabury, Jan. 23 1848, who d. June 23, 1849 (see No. 131, p. 404, also p. 436.)

4 Mary ; bap. May 17, 1778 (p. 858) ; 531, 1st Ch. June 29, 1806 ; d. Jan. —, 1815, aged 37 ; m. Isaiah Booker (see p. 874) ; had 4 ch. ; one, Lucretia Chase, bap. July 6, 1806 (p. 984), 901, 1st Ch., Nov. 4, 1832, still living.

5 Lucretia ; bap. July 25, 1779 (p. 859.)

6 Jeremiah ; bap. Nov. 26, 1780 (p. 860) ; res. Eastport ; m. twice ; son living.

7 Elizabeth ; bap. Feb. 23, 1783 (p. 901) ; d. young.

8 Sarah ; bap. July 4, 1784 (p. 902) ; 546, 1st Ch., dis. to ch. in Portland, Sept. 26, 1819 ; 2d wf. of Dea. Asa Chase, 451, 1st Ch. May 13, 1792, dis. to ch. in Cumberland, 1793, d. in Portland ; two children ; (see Asa Chase, 5, below.)

9 Jane ; bap. Aug. 13, 1786 (p. 904) ; d. Nov. 14, 1813, aged 27 ; m. Samuel Hatch ; one ch. who d. young.

10 Charles ; bap. Sept. 16, 1787 (p. 905) ; has ch.

11 Reuben ; bap. May 3, 1789 (p. 906) ; d. young.

12 Levi ; bap. May 23, 1790 (recorded June 13, p. 940) ; m. and had two sons ; his widow, Mary, d. Feb. 5, 1831 (p. 102.)

1 Dr. William Chase, 311, 1st Ch. Sept. 13, 1778, d. July 22, 1798, aged 62, married,—

2 Mary Buxton, dau. of William and Lydia (Jones) Buxton, 297, 1st Ch., Aug. 28, 1774, d. June 25, 1777, aged 36.

He married, 2d,—

3 Miriam Cole, 323, 1st Ch , June 2, 1782, from ch. in Harpswell ; d. Aug. 16, 1808, aged 68.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : Physician.

Children :

CHASE.

4 William ; bap. Sept. 1, 1765 (p. 716.)

5 Asa ; bap. Dec. 29, 1865 (p. 716) ; 451, 1st Ch. May 13, 1792, dis. to ch. in Cumberland, Sept. 5, 1793 ; m., 1st, Hannah

Mitchell, 474, 1st Ch. Aug. 12, 1792, dis. to ch. in Cumberland, Nov. 9, 1794; m., 2d, Sarah (Sally) Chase (see No. 8, above.)

6 Mary; bap. May 15, 1768 (p. 748.)

7 Lucretia; bap. May 14, 1775 (p. 804.)

8 Hannah; bap. Dec. 2, 1781 (p. 860.)

9 Timothy; bap. Nov. 2, 1783 (p. 902.)

DAVIS.—1 Timothy Davis, wf. (2) Margaret (Davis) (270, 1st Ch., July 14, 1771, d. before 1793), had,—

3 John; b. 1754; m. Sarah, dau. of William and Mehitabel (Gray) Cutter; for ch. see p. 766.

4 Anna [Hannah?]; b. Sept. 16, 1757; bap. Oct. 23, 1757 (p. 666.)

5 Thomas; b. Aug. 28, 1759; bap. Oct. 7, 1759 (p. 667.)

6 Eunice; b. Nov. 19, 1761; bap. May 7, 1762 (p. 714); m. Samuel Soule (see p. 975.)

7 Timothy; bap. Aug. 19, 1764 (p. 715.)

Dow.—Jabez Dow, wf. Dorothy, had Samuel, b. Apr. 12, 1753 (Falmouth.)

DAY.—1 John Day, 94, 1st Ch., Apr. 20, 1742, from Lynn, Mass., d. after 1770, married, ———, ———, ———.

2 Ruth ———, 112, 1st Ch., Oct. 25, 1743, d. May 5, 1768.

Residence: North Yarmouth Maine.

Children: DAY.

3 Susanna; b. Jan. 8, 1726; Nov. 8, 1778; 190, 1st Ch. Apr. 25, 1756; b. in Lynn; m. Abraham Grant, Sept. 5, 1748 (pp. 653, 658); (see Grant Family.)

4 John; b. Jan. 23, 1729; int. of m. with Mehitabel Blackstone, Nov. 3, 1758 (pp. 32, 396)

5 Benjamin; b. Apr. 3, 1732.

6 Joseph; b. Oct. 25, 1735.

John Day, Jr., and wf. ———, had Abigail, bap. May 5, 1776 (p. 805.)

DENNISON.—George Dennison, b. 1699, d. Mar. 14, 1747–8, m. Jan. 14, 1725, Abigail Haraden, b. 1706, d. May 1, 1753. He resided in Gloucester, Mass. Among other children he had a son Abner. b. Oct. 2, 1730, and David. b. Aug. 6, 1734, both of whom moved to Freeport, Maine, about 1757.

In George Dennison's will, dated Jan. 29, 1747–8, he gives his land in North Yarmouth, which he bought of Cornelius Cole [no doubt Cornelius Soule], Edward King, Henry Haskell, and others, also a right to lands recorded to the heirs of John York, deceased, and his right in the township of New Gloucester, to his children.

Abner Dennison, above, married Emma Lane. Their children

were: Abigail, b. June 17, 1752; Abner, b. Sept. 2, 1759; Gideon, b. 1761; Emma, b. June 7, 1763.

David Dennison, above, married Jenny Haraden. Their children were: David, b. Nov. 4, 1758, d. 1759; David, b. Aug. 15, 1760; George, b. May 19, 1762; Jenny, b. Jan. 10, 1764.

1 Abner Dennison [above, b. 1759?], by wf. (2) ———, had:
3 Solomon; bap. in fall of 1771, recorded Apr. 25, 1773 (p. 802.)

4 Patty; bap. Aug. 23, 1775 (p. 804.)

5 Jonathan; bap. "sometime ago," recorded Oct. 10, 1779 (p. 859.)

1 David Dennison, [above, b. 1760?], of Freeport, 1785, by wife (2) ———, had:

3 Joseph; bap. in fall of 1771, recorded Apr. 25, 1773 (p. 802.)

4 Timothy; bap. ditto.

5 Lucretia; bap. Aug. 23, 1775 (p. 804.)

6 Abigail; bap. Oct. 10, 1779 (p. 859.)

7 Jonathan; bap. Aug. 5, 1781 (p. 860.)

8 Priscilla; bap. Aug. 17, 1785 (p. 903.)

Abigail (Dennison) Chandler, 574, 1st Ch., Oct. 15, 1810, from ch. in Freeport, wf. of Rufus Chandler, was dis. to ch. in Freeport, July 25, 1813.

DACEY.—1 John Dacey, (2) wf. ———, had,—

3 Molly; bap. Oct. 27, 1772 (p. 752.)

4 Elijah Tuttle; bap. Mar. 19, 1775 (p. 804.)

5 Mercy; bap. May 10, 1778 (p. 858.)

6 John; bap. Oct. 7, 1781 (p. 860.)

7 Daniel; bap. Oct. 24, 1784 (p. 903.)

8 Mehitable } bap. Feb. 17, 1790 (p. 939.)
9 William }

EVELETH.—1 Nathaniel Eveleth m. Jan. 4, 1760 (p. 658),—

2 Sarah Mason, and had,—

3 Isaac; bap. Nov. 21, 1760 (p. 668.)

4 Sarah; bap. June 27, 1762 (714.)

FIELD.—Joseph Field (No. 3, p. 448), bap. July 2, 1775 (p. 804), married, ———, ———, ———,—

2 Eunice ———. Residence, Freeport. Children:—

3 Mary; bap. July 2, 1775 (p. 804.)

4 John; bap. Aug. 17, 1777 (p. 857.)

5 Joseph; bap. Apr. 5, 1780 (p. 859.)

6 Anne; bap. July 9, 1783 (p. 902.)

FOSTER.—Ephraim Foster (New Casco) m., July 27, 1732,—

2 Ellis Scott (see p. 658.) He m., 2d, Aug. 6, 1735,—

3 Mary MacKenney (p. 658.)

(Apr. 14, 1747, Ephraim Foster was killed [by Indians] and his wife and children taken,—the latter returned in October.—1st Ch. Cat., p. 50.)

They had, Margaret, bap. Nov. 11, 1739 (p. 493.)

Isaac Foster, wf. ———, had, Samuel, bap. Aug. 11, 1774 (p. 803.)

FRENCH.—1 Elisha French m., Dec. 29, 1736 (pp. 472, 658),

2 Joanna Eaton, (dau. of Ebenezer and Hannah), 69, 1st Ch. Jan. 8, 1738, d. Dec. 28, 1744.

Children: FRENCH.

3 Mary; b. Oct. 6, 1737; bap. Jan. 29, 1738 (p. 492); m. Burrill Tuttle.

4 Hannah [Joanna?] b. July 28, 1740; bap. Aug. — 1740 (p. 493); d. Apr. 1, 1743.

5 Joseph; b. June 6, 1747; bap. June 21, 1747 (p. 616); d. Apr. 22, 1750.

John French, wf. ———, had, Mary, bap. Jan. 29, 1738 (p. 492.)

Foss.—John Foss, d. Nov. 15, 1748, wf. Hannah ———, (who m., 2d, Benjamin Brown, 1750 (p. 657); she was 212, 1st Ch., 1761, d. before 1793), (also see p. 903), and had.

John; b. Sept. 4, 1742.

Ambrose; b. July 10, 1744.

Josiah; bap. July 27, 1746 (p. 615.)

Sarah; bap. July 31, 1748 (p. 616.)

MUSTER-ROLL

OF

CAPT. PETER MERRILL'S COMPANY.

[BY S. P. MAYBERRY.]

In the muster-roll of Capt. Peter Merrill's Company your readers will find many familiar names. This roll was manifestly made out in anticipation of the usual "September Muster" of the olden

time. It is valuable to the historian in showing who were the able-bodied men liable for military duty. I found this roll in a book in Washington, where it had been forwarded as evidence in the claims for pensions in the War of 1812. It was kept in good business style, by Robert Anderson, and contained the record for a number of years after the date of the roll.

Cape Elizabeth, Me. }
May 6, 1881. }

S. P. Mayberry.

Muster Roll of Capt. Peter Merrill's Company of Foot.

Aug. 28, 1804.

Officers' Names.

Peter Merrill, Captain.
John March, Lieutenant.
Reuben Merrill, Ensign.

Joshua Moody.
Daniel Field.
Asa Field.
Joseph Lunt, Jr.
Samuel Adams.
Ebenezer Merrill.

Sergeants' Names.

John Marston.
Moses Adams, Jr.
James Swett.
Robert Anderson.

David Watts.
Richard Mountfort.
Joseph Dunham.
Hutchins Moody.
William Totman.
Joshua Allen.

Musicians' Names.

David Leighton.
Peter Marston.
Ephraim Marston, Jr.
Daniel Anderson.
Ebenezer Leighton.
Daniel Leighton.

William Stewart.
William Frank.
Enoch Merrill.
Joseph Morrill.
David Morrill.
John Morrill, 3d.
Amos Field.
George Abbott.
George Marston.
Mark Huston.

Names of Men, Rank & File.

Alpheus Field.
Elias Merrill, Jr.
Simeon Field.
Simon Merrill.
Cotton Merrill.
Samuel Hix [Hicks?]
Thomas Leighton.
Gideon Woodfin.
Isaac Adams.
Thomas Baker.

Daniel Woodson.
Zachary Allen.
John Morrill, Jr.
Thomas Leighton.
Stephen Leighton.
William Richards.
Elijah Allen.
Enos Merrill.
Thomas Merrill.
Isaac Merrill.
Zachariah Merrill.
Ezekiel Allen.

John M. Swett.
Joseph Swett.
Nathan Lunt.
Amos Noyes.
Simeon Marston.
Jonah Morse.
William Merrill.
Nathan Noyes.
Samuel Watts, Jr.
Moses Swett.
Charles Knight.
Isaac Merrill.
Stephen Knight.
Nathan Merrill.
Isaac Adams.
Ozias Merrill.
Moses Merrill.
Nathaniel Ilsley.
Moses Roberts.
Nathaniel H. Patrick.
Samuel Merrill.
Humphrey Merrill.
Joshua Colley.
Ephraim Merrill, Jr.
Zebulon Knight.

Daniel Lunt.
Samuel Merrill.
Ephraim Merrill.
Andrew Herriden.
Josiah Knight.
Amos Hobbs.
James Worcester.
Isaac Leighton.
Robert Hall.
Jonathan Marston.
Benjamin Marston, Jr.
Aaron Winslow.
Brackett Marston.
Lot Hall.
Joshua Adams.
Davis Merrill.
Jacob Morrill.
Jeremiah Merrill.
William Watts.
Chesley Leighton.
James Adams.
Noah Fifield.
Edmond Kued.
Nathaniel Gerrish, Jr.
John Frye.

ROBERT ANDERSON, Clerk.

First Regiment, Second Brigade and Sixth Division of Mass.
18.9: 2KdS

ENOCH HARVEY.

[BY HARRIET C. BISBEE.]

Under date of January 22, 1750-1, Edward King, of North Yarmouth, coaster, for £10, 13, 4, deeds to Enoch Harvey, also of that town, yeoman, a tract of fifty acres of land situated and bounded as follows :

“Beginning at the westerly Corner of a Certain Tract of Land which I Formerly sold to Moses Bralbury, which former stands on the Northerly side of the County Road leading towards Brunswick, & from thence west thirteen Degrees South ten Rods to a stake, thence South 30½ Degrees west by s^d Road Thirty Rods to

a stake, thence North twenty six Degrees west one Hundred & Twenty Three Rods to a large red oak tree marked, thence west fifteen Degrees South twenty one rods to a stake, thence North 20 Degrees west about 98 rods to Lot No. 3 in the 120 Acre Division by said Lot to land of Bradbury and bounded by the same to the Place first mentioned: and also a Pew in the Meeting House, No. 22."

Signed by Edward King, and wife Mary, and witnessed by John Larrabee and Jacob Brown, Jr., being acknowledged before Samuel Seabury, Justice of the Peace. Recorded in Lib. 30, Fol. 80, York County Record of Deeds.

This tract of land deeded to Enoch Harvey,—who improved the same, and built the house which yet stands upon it,—was afterwards owned by my grandfather, Enoch Harvey, a nephew of the first mentioned. The property is now owned and occupied by Mr. Joseph G. Davis (Davis' Landing), whose father purchased it of my grandfather about the year 1792.

It may may not be thought out of place to refer here to a story told me by my uncle, Lemuel Harvey, who was born in the house mentioned above, in the year 1786. During the War of 1812-14, his vessel was taken by the British, near Castine, and sent into Halifax. Capt. Harvey, at an opportune moment when the officers were below, fastened the hatchways, and regaining control of his vessel, with a fair wind, carried her safely into Castine. He had lost his hat during the melee, and as he entered the port, with his hair streaming on the breeze, he was greeted with tremendous cheers. The next day, however, Castine was captured, and he, falling again into the hands of the enemy, was taken to Halifax and kept there until an exchange of prisoners at the close of the war brought his release.

08.07: ISDS

NOTE.—The only genealogical items relative to the Harvey Family in the possession of *OLD TIMES*, are as follows: Enoch Harvey, intention of marriage with Sarah Wore [Weare? 34, p. 499?] [Moore?], July 19, 1752 (p. 653.) Jenny, daughter of John and Elizabeth Harvey, baptized Sept. 22, 1771 (p. 752.) There is a record of a lawsuit in 1770, p. 348, between Enoch Harvey and Timothy Davis. Will some descendant of Enoch Harvey please furnish a genealogy for publication?

ALEXANDER BARR.

[BY REV. AMASA LORING.]

This distinguished citizen of old North Yarmouth has already

secured a few brief notices in these pages, but his history is still quite incomplete. He and his brother Robert were so connected with the introduction of machinery into our factories, and in giving a healthy impulse to that necessary industry of our country, that his memory deserves to be perpetuated.

They were Scotsmen, serving an apprenticeship in the machine-shop of the famous Awkwright, and having mastered the art, emigrated to this country, probably about the close of the Revolutionary War. It was an opportune period. Our people were pining for all sorts of manufactures. Previous to our independence the mother country had prohibited or restricted the manufacture in the Colonies of every article which the English wished to sell them. The hand cards and the spinning-wheel could not be forbidden; and wrought-iron nails and a few rude farming-tools were suffered to be made by hand, but they must not be exported, even to an adjoining Colony. In 1770, the first machines for carding wool and cotton were started in England. Hargreaves, Awkwright and Peele are the acknowledged inventors of the carding-machine, the spinning-jenny, and the power-loom. At this date the contest between the Colonies and the British government was arising, and the restrictive policy was intensified. When hostilities commenced, English importations ceased, and many necessary articles of domestic use must be made at home, or be dispensed with.

Parliament, true to itself, in 1774, prohibited the export of carding and spinning machinery; and after peace was established, all patterns, plans and drawings of such machinery, if attempted to be brought to the United States, were seized and confiscated. But our neighbors did not prevent artisans from emigrating. They could not despoil them of their brains, genius or memory, if they came to our shores, where they were needed. The Barrs possessed these, brought them here and made them useful to the public.

In 1786 these brothers were employed in the machine-shop of Hugh Orr, in Bridgewater, Mass., a man much interested in American manufactures. He became so well satisfied with their skill and capacity to construct such machinery, that he informed the Legislature that these Scotch brothers possessed the knowledge to start the enterprise, and, if encouraged, would do it. The Legislature listened to the suggestion, and eagerly seized upon this favorable opportunity. It sent a committee to examine the Barrs, and see what they could and would do. This committee reported themselves well satisfied with the competency of these men, and recommended that £200 be granted them, to aid them in completing certain machines, and also as a gratuity for their public spirit in so willingly making known these useful inventions in this country. The money was voted, and was raised

by a Land Lottery; and thus the first stock carding-machine and spinning-jenny made in the United States, were constructed and put in operation by these Barrs. All were allowed to examine, and reproduce them. The first imported carding-machine cost \$3300.00.

Three years later, Samuel Slater, another English machinist, arrived in this country, bringing a knowledge of improvements; and he introduced Awkwright's machinery into a factory in Pawtucket, R. I., and aided in improving all such inventions.

Previous to the above transactions, Alexander Barr had resided in Portland (then Falmouth.) He was wont to say, that there was no man in the place who could clean a clock, when he arrived. In Nov., 1786, he was married, in Portland, to Miss Mehitable Peabody, of Gorham, by Rev. Samuel Deane, and here, for a season, he dwelt.

It is probably correct, as Gen. Russell stated, that there he made the first carding-machine which run in Maine; but more probable that it was earlier than 1805. Few will suppose that so useful an invention was nearly twenty years in finding its unhedged way into Maine, after it was running in Massachusetts. Especially so, when we recall the fact that no less than seventy-five carding-machines were reported in our State by the census of 1810.

At length Mr. Alexander Barr purchased the Col. Powell farm, in North Yarmouth (now "Cumberland Foreside"), and there he spent the remainder of his life. This place is now possessed by Messrs. Russell and St Clair. On this he displayed his refined taste and superior ingenuity, in planting ornamental trees, in cultivating a luxuriant garden and in improving the productions of his orchard. His fruit proved too delicious to be profitable, for, though the neighboring boys were then carefully trained at home, catechized weekly, and taught the ten commandments, his choice fruit was so attractive that they assisted him in gathering it, seriously disturbing his conscience.

He did not permit his mechanical genius to grow rusty, but exercised it in cleaning clocks, and in running a mill to grind plaster of Paris, until the infirmities of old age prevented.

Mr. Barr owned a pew in the "old meeting-house," and attended public worship there, but was not a member of the church.

He and his wife reared up a family of children, none of whom left offspring. Mrs. Barr died Aug. 10, 1829, aged 71; and Aug. 13, 1837, he followed her, aged nearly 80.

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[For items relative to the Barrs heretofore published, see pages 164, 185, 261 and 584, *OLD TIMES*]

PROPRIETORS' RECORDS,
NORTH YARMOUTH, MAINE.

(Continued from page 823.)

[Hereafter, except in the case of some important document, only an abstract of the records will be given]

At a meeting of the Inhabitants of North Yarmouth, held at the meeting-house, Apr. 24, 1730, voted to give Rev. Ammi Ruhmah Cutter a call to the gospel ministry, and to give him 120 oz. of silver money per year, or its equivalent, and £200 for a settlement.

At a meeting Sept. 24, 1730, voted to add to the above salary five oz. per year for four years, until it shall amount to 140 oz. of silver money per annum. Voted, that the 10 acre lot devoted to the ministry be cleared and fenced, within two years, for his use.

Samuel Seabury, James Parker, Jacob Mitchell and Thomas Bennett, Sub-Committee.

Mr. Cutter accepted the same day (Sept. 24), and Oct. 21 the Committee in Boston [see p. 821] confirm the proceedings, and order that the same be entered in the town records.

The Committee appointed to take under consideration the affairs of North Yarmouth, and the several petitions referring thereto, and to report what they judge proper to be done thereon, having viewed the books, papers and proceedings of the Committee for Resettling the Plantation, having also been attended by several of the respective petitioners, and the said Committee, and heard and considered their allegations, are humbly of the opinion, that before the said Plantation be invested with the powers and privileges that the other towns in the Province have and enjoy, the said town be ascertained and set forth by sufficient meets and bounds, as follows: [as set forth on page 634.] Also to confirm lots to such settlers as have fulfilled the conditions, and to indulge others twelve months. To divide the undivided lands, by drawing, within twelve months. That, in the mean time, the inhabitants may be allowed to choose Selectmen, Constables, and other ordinary town officers, &c. Accepted in Council, and concurred by the House, Jan. 17, 1731. [92-92 dd]

At a meeting of the Committee for Resettling, Mar. 24, 1731-2, agreed and voted, to raise £3 on each Lot, £100 of which is to be for Rev. Ammi R. Cutter's salary due him until his ordination, Nov. 18th last, and £150 for finishing the meeting-house, &c.

Proprietors in Boston to pay their respective proportions thereof to Mr. George Monk, and the Proprietors in and about North Yarmouth, to pay their shares of the tax to Capt. James Parker. It is also agreed, at Rev. Ammi R. Cutter's request, that Lot 39, laid out for the ministry, and Lot 41, laid out for the first minister ordained in the town, may be exchanged by him [the one for the other], provided he continued three years from his ordination. Agreed that Dea. Samuel Seabury, Jacob Mitchell, Stephen Larrabee, Thomas Bennett and Rowland Houghton be appointed a Sub-Committee to reside at North Yarmouth and manage the Prudentials of the Town, sending their proceedings to the Committee for allowance and approbation. Agreed that the Sub-Committee lay out the Marsh or Meadow so that each Proprietor may have an equal share or proportion; and that the Committee advise with Mr. John Powell, in all their affairs, if he be present. Also that a tax of £3 be raised on each of the home lots to pay for surveying, laying out and dividing the lands, and other charges that may arise; the Proprietors in and about Boston to pay to James Pitson, and those about Casco Bay to pay Rowland Houghton. Agreed that £3, 5s be raised on each home lot to pay Rev. A. R. Cutter's salary the present year, and that 40s thereof be paid him for the £200 allowed for his settlement; the Proprietors in and about North Yarmouth to pay Andrew Ring, and those in and about Boston to pay George Monk; the whole to be paid to Mr. Cutter on or before Nov. 18th, next. Signed by the Committee, William Dudley, John Smith and John Powell.

At a meeting of the Committee, held at Boston, Aug. 23, 1731, agreed and voted that there shall be a Reform or New Survey made of all the Home Lots in North Yarmouth, 103 in number, and the course and distance of each line of the lots be taken and laid down in a Plat and returned to the Committee, according to the desire of the Proprietors and votes of the Committee, July 29, 1728, together with the several allowances of land for the roads through said lots. Agreed that School Lot No. 75, containing 10 acres, be returned to the Committee, and a Farm of not over 200 acres be laid out for the use of the School, in lieu thereof forever. Agreed that Sarah Felt, widow of Joseph, in consideration that he was killed by the Indians, and she carried into captivity, shall have 50 acres of land near the corn-mill, and fronting the river, or in some other suitable place, provided she release or quit-claim Home Lot No. 49, and the land adjoining, according to a vote of the Committee, July 14, 1729. Signed by the Committee, as above. [82]

At a meeting of the Committee of North Yarmouth, in Boston, Mar. 16, 1731-2, voted. that the above proceedings relative to Lot 75 and the School Farm (to be on the northeast side of the river) be confirmed. Also that, beginning at the lower falls, at

the mills, a line "A" run northeast two miles, thence two miles to certain marks on the rear bounds of the town, this line to be "B", all on the northeast side of the river, another line "C" on the southwest side of the river, at the falls, to run southwest two miles, and thence a line "D" two miles to marks in the rear line of the town, enclosing about 13,000 acres.

This land to be divided into 103 Lots; excepting 100 acres on each side of the river, to begin at the lower falls and to extend up to include the fourth falls, about three-quarters of a mile, which is reserved for the Proprietors; the said lots to be half a mile long, but not to cross the river, and to be cornered, marked and numbered. That a line "E" run from the southwest end of "C" southwest to Falmouth line, and the land enclosed between "D," "E," the rear line of the town, and Falmouth line, about 8,000 acres, be divided into 102 Lots, half a mile wide, or thereabouts, all the lots to be drawn for.

And that there be a lot, about 80 acres, laid out to Mr. John Powell, at or joining the rear of his Lots 49, 50, 51, 70 and 53, to make up his proportion of one of his lots with a stream where he has built his saw-mill, he having given up his right to a grant of 300 acres made to him. All the above lots to be surveyed, cornered, numbered and platted by Mr. Phineas Jones, before May 20th next, he to be paid 14s per 100 acres except the 200 between the falls, exclusive of the charge for surveying Royal's River, for which a tax of 30s is laid on each home lot, which he is to collect, and account for July 17th next. Signed by the Committee, as before.

Next follows the contract of Phineas Jones for surveying the above lots, and his warrant for collecting the tax.

In Council, July 4, 1732, voted that the collectors appointed by the North Yarmouth Committee be empowered to collect taxes. Concurred in the House, the same day. Aug. 18, 1732, by the order of the General Court, Messrs. Timothy Prout and John Choate, Jr., are added to the Committee for managing the affairs of North Yarmouth. [18d]

At a meeting of the Committee, in Boston, Sept. 20, 1732, it is voted, that as there has been 103 Lots laid out on each side of Royal's River, of 120 acres each, one being for the ministry, it is ordered that the surveyor set apart for the ministry a lot "neither the best nor the worst, but a middling lot for quality," after the remaining 102 Proprietors double or choose their mates, so as in the drawing of the lots in this division there be but 51 lots, and for this end the surveyor and lot-layers are to couple them, put a good an indifferent lot together. And whereas there are 103 Lots of 100 acres each, laid out on the southwest side of the river, next to Falmouth line, it is voted that there be 103 Lots of 100 acres each laid out on the northeast side of the river, to begin at the

back line of the town and run down the line of the 103 Lots of 120 acres, which line is called "B." and to extend to the north-east bounds of the town, and these shall be coupled and drawn for with those on the southwest side of the river. The couplers were Stephen Larrabee, Francis Wyman and Barnabas Seabury. Phineas Jones was appointed surveyor of the lots, and, if he did not accept, then Edward King. A tax of 20s on each lot was laid, and Samuel Seabury was to receive it in North Yarmouth and John Buttolph the same in Boston. Oct. 27, 103 Lots more of 100 acres each were ordered laid out, so that each Proprietor would receive three lots at one drawing. These were on the north-east side of the river. Signed by the same Committee in both meetings. [78-78]

At a meeting of the Committee, Apr. 27, 1733, a tax of £3, 5s was laid on each lot, total £328, 5s, to pay Rev. A. R. Cutter's salary from Nov. 18, 1731 to Nov. 18, 1733, and Jedediah Southworth appointed collector for North Yarmouth and Capt. John Buttolph for Boston. £75, 15s of the above was to be paid John Smith, Clerk, for the charges of the Committee. Notice was also given the Proprietors to pay their taxes before June 20th, or they could not share in the drawing for land on that date. Signed by William Dudley, John Smith and Timothy Prout, Committee.

"Here followeth the several Draughts of the Hundred Acre Lots, & Divisions of the Marsh Lots & the Lots of Upland equivalent thereto, & also the Lots of the Hundred & Twenty Acre Division, lying on both sides of Royal's River in North Yarmouth, which said Lots are drawn & fixt this Seventh of August, 1733."

The names in this List, with the addition of the new lots drawn, are precisely like those given on pages 628-629, *OLD TIMES*, excepting the following changes: No. 3, Samuel Smith, has the "Assigns" added; 17, Richard Bray, is minus the same word; 26, Amos Stevens' Assignes, reads, John Smith, Assignee to Amos Stevens; 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 are changed from Leatherby to Larrabee; 31, Stephen Larrabee, 35, John Provender, and 38, Roger Edwards, are minus the word Assignes; 39 and 41 have been transposed [see p. 998]; 45, reads John Harris, Senior; 47, Thomas Blashfield, Assignes is omitted; 50, reads now Henry Deering; 69, reads Hugh Blenning; 85, reads Col. Wm. Taylor; and, in addition, is No. 104, Sampson Salter. Entered and recorded by John Smith, Clerk of the Committee.

Then follows a long list and description of the 40 Marsh Lots, the Equivalent Lots, as drawn on the above date, and sundry other lots laid out for various purposes. [771-68 'dd]

The only items of general interest gleaned from the above lists are as follows: In the description of Lot 13, mention is made of a "Tract of Land laid out to y^e first Builders of y^e Grist Mill." Moody's Creek, lying on the east side of Cousins' River. In the

description of Lot 34 (Equivalent) is, "beginning at the southeasterly corner of Lot 29, & from thence $7\frac{1}{2}$ degrees north 81 rods to a white pine tree standing on the bank on the south side of Reading's Creek." "Little River" is mentioned in Lots 59 & 60. A "Watering-Place for the Town's use" was laid out near Lots 32 and 33. A road leads from the meeting-house to Weare's Falls. This road was west of Lot 96. The above records are signed by Wm. Dudley, John Smith, John Powell and Timothy Prout, Committee, John Smith, Clerk. [221]

A grant was made to Rowland Houghton to make up for the deficiency in Lots 14 and 15. A piece of land, 26 acres, at the head of Lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, was granted to James Pitson and George Monk for £130, which money was to be used towards the completion of the meeting-house. Andrew Ring pays £20 for an excess of four acres in Lot 9, and Rowland Houghton pays £7, 10 for a piece at the head of Lot 13, both amounts being devoted to the meeting-house. Signed by Dudley, Smith, Powell, Prout and Choat, Committee. [221]

MEMORANDA.

BRACEY.—Referring to the affidavit of John Bracey, Senior, on page 855, the positive statements in that document are of great value. John Bracey, Senior, was of York, 1673, when he had a grant of land, but the reason of his being designated "Senior" is a mystery, as the only other person of that name in York was William, the weaver. It may have been to distinguish him from John, the son of William. From this paper we learn that Richard Potts lived on a neck of land adjoining Merriconeague earlier than 1673, the only Englishman that had lived there within fifty years, which would carry the time back to 1653. The "certain knowledge" of John Bracey, Senior, about all these particulars raises our surmises that he may have been an early inhabitant of North Yarmouth. Certain it is that intercourse between York and Harpswell, two hundred years ago, was not frequent, and we must either suppose that Bracey was a coaster, or that he resided about this region some years, to make such positive affirmations.

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ENGLISH DOCUMENTS.—"Catalogue of Documents in the English Archives, relating to the State of Maine."

Page 43, May 27, 1662, Wells, Thomas Haynes, of Westcosto-

gua, one of the eleven "trustees of Ferdin. Gorges, Esq., Lord Proprietor of the Province of Mayne."

Page 85, Feb. 23, 1683-4, Fort Loyal, (Casco), letter from Capt. Anthony Brackett to Maj. Davis, respecting the Indians: "Ten Indians started for Canada, supposed for ammunition. A token left in M^r Gendall's house by an Indian, when the Indians send for it, M^r Gendall is to hasten away with all speed."

Page 96, June 10, 1735, report of a Committee (appointed at a General Court of Massachusetts Bay, held at Boston, May 28, 1735) to run lines between the Province land and the town of North Yarmouth, noting certain boundaries or marks. Report accepted. Signed by David Seabury, Benjamin Ingersoll, Edw. King, Eben Burrill, Daniel Epes, John Hobson, and Joseph Blaney.

Page 99, Feb. 15, 1753, Boston, deposition of Edward King, surveyor, of Boston, aged 47, states that in 1728 he went down into the eastern parts of the Province, where he remained until 1752, being chainman to Phineas Jones in his survey of Kennebec, in 1731.

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GENDALL.—In 1681, the General Court empowered the President of Maine to confirm the titles of the inhabitants to their land. Walter Gendall and six others were appointed Trustees of Scarborough.

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TAXES.—The proportion of taxes for York County in 1735 was £46,07,02. North Yarmouth paid the smallest amount, £1,9.4.

MAYNE.—"The deposition of John Mayne, aged 70 years or thereabouts [b. 1615?], testifieth and saith that the land which Richard Bray, Senior, sold to George Pearson, of Boston, (see p. 411), that lieth on the maine adjoining the deponent's land in Casco Baye, near unto Mayne's Point, and did contain sixty acres of land, be it more or less, hath been possessed by building and other improvements, &c., these thirty-six years at least, to my knowledge." Dated 1685. Elizabeth Mayne, aged about 65, wife of John Mayne, confirms the above.

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MAINE.—"The petition of John Maine, of Casco Bay, humbly sheweth, that your petitioner, about thirty years since, purchased a house in Casco Bay with sixty acres of land adjoining, situate near the middle of Casco Bay. on the westerly side of Westgostogo River, at a certain place there commonly called and known by the name of Maine's Point: also he took up about six acres of salt marsh and hath enjoyed the same as it is situated near the head of the easternmost branch of Westcustoggo River, until the late war with the Indians, at which time two of his sons-in-law were slain, his evidences for his housing and land were burnt, and he with his wife and the rest of the family hardly escaped with their lives.

And some years after the war was ended, he returned, and ever since his return hath kept his portion of said lands, and some that were strangers there before the war, and have since settled there, have laid out lots on your petitioner's upland: have taken the s^d marsh into their hands and refused your petitioner the improvement thereof. Your poor petitioner therefore humbly prays that your Excellency will please pass an order to Capt. Edward Tyng to see that he may be settled in his just right: so shall he ever pray." 1687. This petition was addressed to Sir Edmond Andros and the Council. This places his settlement in 1657. 6L5T: 74

OLD ACCOUNTS.—George Bartol, Constable, 1773, of North Yarmouth, to Ephraim Jones, of Falmouth, Debtor, Mar. 31, to a County Tax for 1772 committed to you to collect, £20, 6s; Credit Apr. 14, by cash in full.

"Andrew Tuck, of North Yarmouth, 1757, (to same), to 4-8 old tenor due me on acc^t wood mem' book, 4s 8d; to 50 bunches onyons at 2-6 to be paid in wood, £5; to bottel of rum, 10s; to gal. molasses, £1, 5s; to ½ bush^l rey, 12s 10d; 1758, to sundrys, £9, 17s, 6d; to cash 12s 10d. Credit, 1757, by 2½ cord wood, £7, 12s, 6d; 1758, by 3 cord wood, £12."

"Jeremiah Powell, Esq., 1757, (to same) Dr., to 23 bunches of onyons at 2-6, £2, 17, 6 old tenor, or £1, 11, 8 lawful money; 1758, to ters cydor sent by y^e lighter, Mr. Curtis, master, £8, 10. Cr., 1759, by Samuel Backer [Baker?] in masts £5, 10; by cash in full, £6, 7, 6."

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SEABURY.—Rev. Edwin Seabury (No. 174, p. 407), died June 13, 1878, at Walpole, N. H., aged 66 years. Born Dec. 2, 1812, at North Yarmouth, Maine, a son of David and Mary (Low) Seabury. Fitted for college at North Yarmouth Academy; graduated at Bowdoin College. 1833; at Bangor Theological Seminary. 1837; licensed at Bangor by Penobscot Association, 1837; ordained over Congregational church, New Castle, Me., 1840; sermon by Rev. Ray Palmer, D. D.; installed over Second Church, New Castle, 1844; sermon by Rev. E. L. Thurston, D. D.; dismissed, 1848. Supplied Congregational church, Byfield, Mass., 1848 to 1849; at Lanesville (Gloucester), Mass., 1849-1854; at Westminster, Vt., 1855-1858; installed, South Royalston, 1858; dismissed, 1862; supplied East Falmouth, Mass., 1863-1869; supplied Berlin, Vt., 1870-1875.

Engaged several years in teaching, singing-schools, ministry in Maine, attended by several revivals, resulting in the organization of the Second Church, New Castle. also a very interesting revival in East Falmouth, doubling the number of members in the church. Married Miss Elizabeth Mason [810, 1st Ch.], of No. Yarmouth, Sept. —, 1837, who died at Berlin, Vt. Jan. 1874. 0822: 1S

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MITCHELL.—Elder Robert Mitchell, of Freeport, Me., ordained as an evangelist, November, 1817, published a pamphlet with the following title: "Journal and Sermons | of | Elder Robert Mitchell | of | Freeport, Maine, | Ordained as an Evangelist, November, 1817. | Freeport: | Published by Robert Mitchell. | 1859." 12mo, pp. unknown [46 in an incomplete copy] A complete copy of this publication is desired. Address *OLD TIMES*.

CORLISS.—Amos Corliss (No. 262, p. 332), of Yarmouth, Me., was married, July 15, 1877, at North Yarmouth, by N. W. F. Sweetser, Esq., to Mrs. Sarah Lane, of Lewiston. (502)

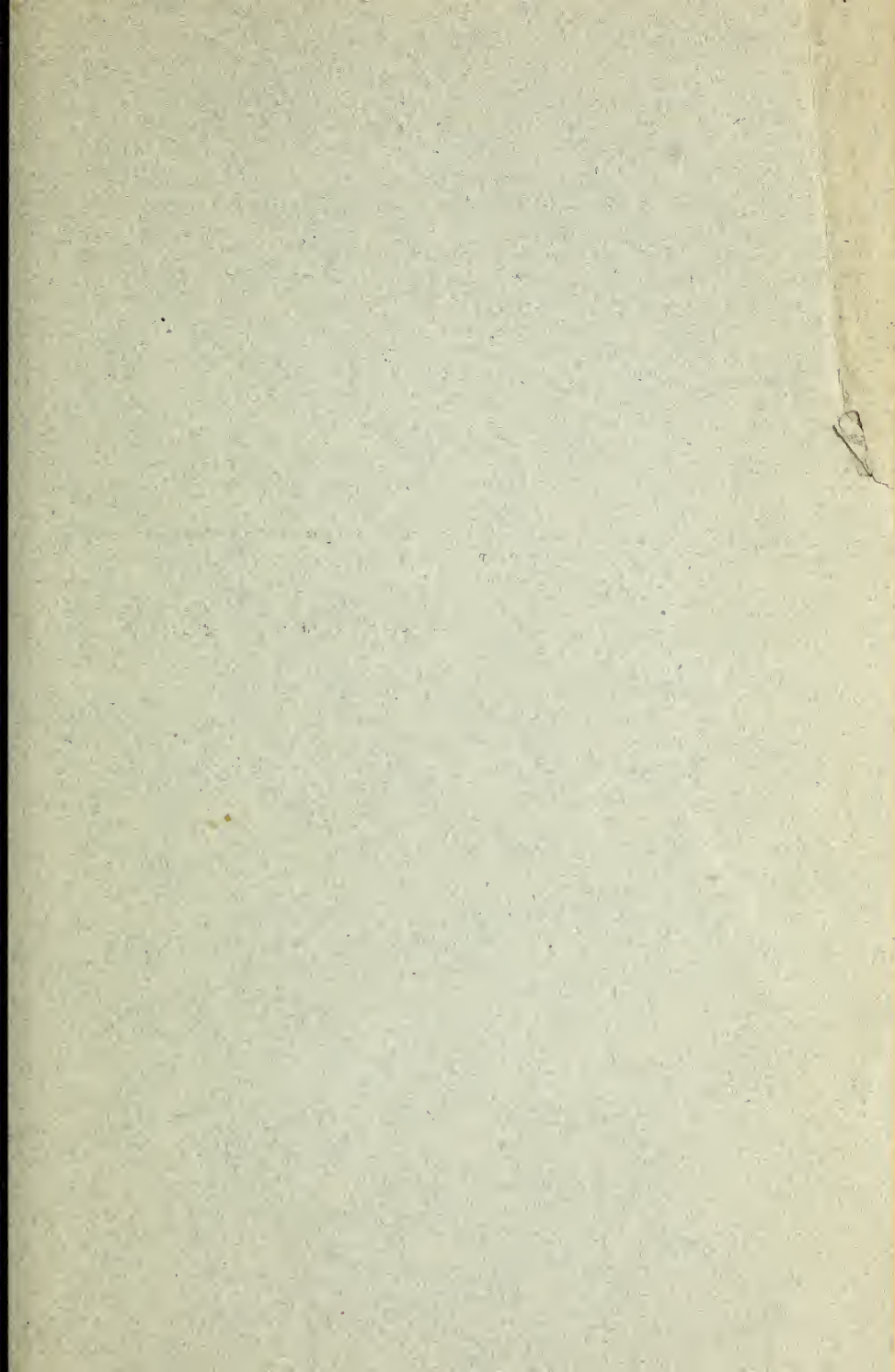
BUXTON.—Capt. Jeremiah Buxton died in Bethel, Maine, June 12, 1878, aged 78 years and 9 months. "Uncle Jerry," as he was familiarly called, was formerly from Yarmouth, but the last seven years of his life were spent in Bethel, at the home of his sister. He leaves a son and daughter (see No. 185, p. 399, and 238 and 239, p. 402.) (451)

HODSDON.—Died, in Harrisburg, Texas, Oct. 23, 1878, Greenfield T. Hodsdon, of Yarmouth, Maine. aged 23 years and 6 mos. He had been there about two years. His parents, and a brother and sister reside in Yarmouth. (451)

BAKER.—Died in Danforth, Maine, May 31, 1878, William T. Baker (see No. 173 $\frac{1}{2}$, p. 399), of Yarmouth, aged 56 years and 6 months. He had been employed in Danforth a short time in the repair of a grain-mill. 451

DEATHS.—In Cumberland, June 29, 1878, Capt. Enos Blanchard, aged 79 years. In Freeport, Oct. 22, 1878, Rufus E. Byram, aged 43 years. In Yarmouth, Sept. 29, 1878, Grace Greenwood Sargent, aged 28 years, daughter of Cyrus Foss and Mary M. Sargent. In Freeport, Mar. 25, 1879, Edward Titcomb, aged 77 years and 5 months. In Cumberland, Sept. 28, 1878, Betsey B., widow of the late Daniel Merrill, aged 81 years. In North San Juan, Cal., July 12, 1878, Capt. Hiram A. Dunning, and July 23, Capt. Benjamin P. Dunning, brothers, formerly of Harpswell. In North Yarmouth, Jan. 17, 1879, Elizabeth E. P., wife of Ezekiel Hodsdon, aged 59 years. In West Cumberland, Jan. 20, 1879, Elbribe Wilson, aged 60. (451)

MARRIAGES.—In Yarmouth, 1878: Oct. 28, Edward Anderson and Isabella R. Carter; Nov. 3, Paul C. Pinkham and Julia S. Talbot, both of Freeport; Sept. 2, Charles Poor, of Portland, and Sophia Pierce, of Yarmouth; Sept. 23, Charles H. W. Randle and Ellen S. Hanson, both of Alton, Illinois (see p. 946); Sept. 24, Alvarado H. Parsons, of Y., and Lilla P. Grant, of Freeport. (451)



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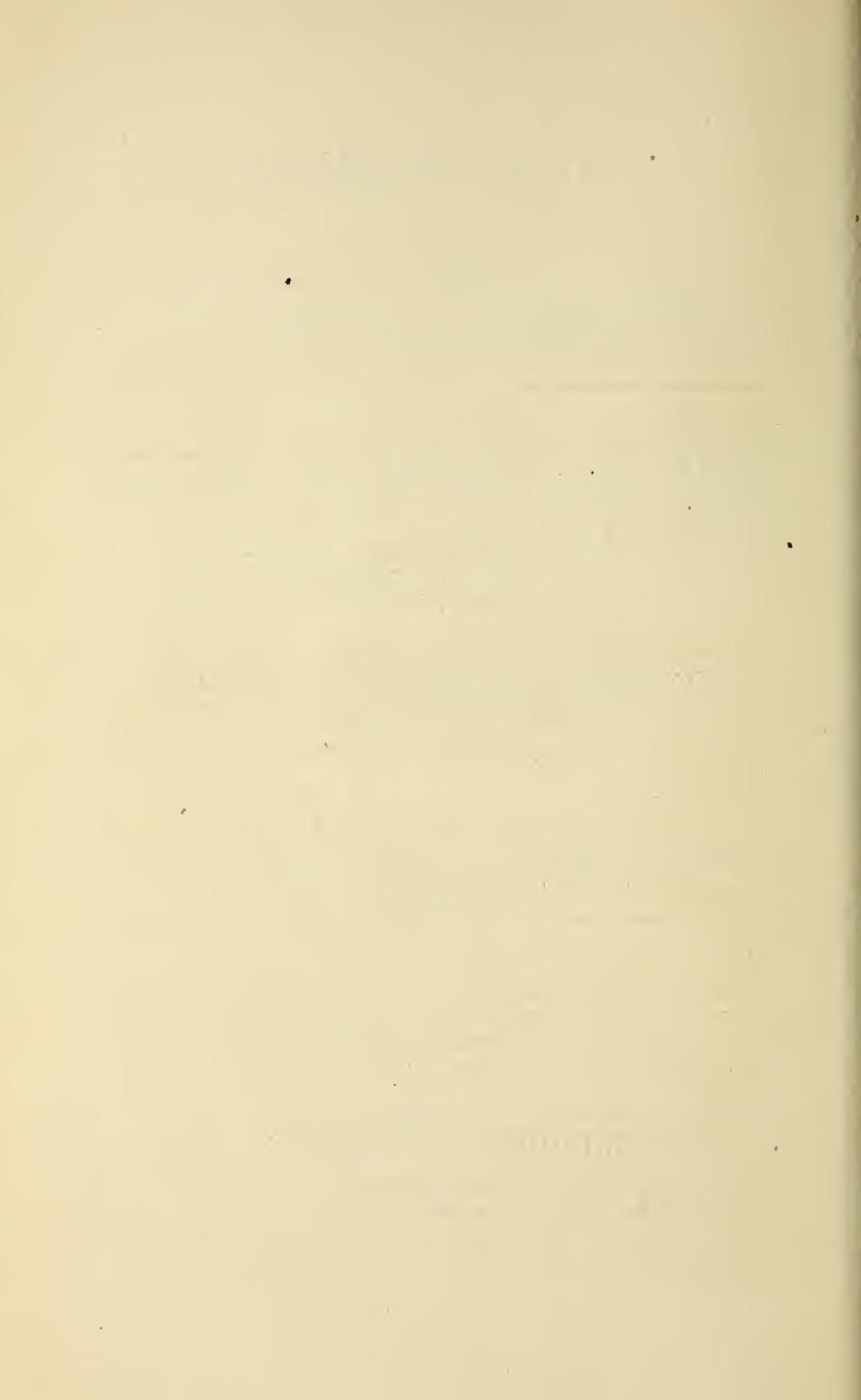
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REV. ABRAHAM CUMMINGS.

[BY REV. AMASA LORING.]

In the burying-place of the Percy family, in the town of Phippsburg, within sight of the historic Popham's Landing, sleeps the sacred dust of this eminent servant of Christ. He departed this life Aug. 31, 1827. aged 73 years. Upon a plain marble stone, which venerating friends provided, the following brief but truthful epitaph appears: "A pious, Learned and Faithful Minister of the Gospel."

After the lapse of half a century, to many the name, character, and labors of this worthy man will be unknown, but some still survive with whom his memory is fragrant. He was an uncle to Rev. Asa Cummings, D.D., one of the honored pastors of the First Congregational Church in North Yarmouth, and long the able and highly esteemed editor of the *Christian Mirror*; was born in Andover, Mass., in 1755; graduated at Brown University in 1776; taught an advanced school in Andover the next year, and soon entered the Christian ministry as an Open Communion Baptist minister. His early life must have been assiduously devoted to study, for he acquired great learning. He became an accomplished linguist, and was proficient in seven different languages. The apostolic spirit was strong within him; he did not settle as a pastor, but itinerated as a missionary; in 1781 he married Miss Phoebe Thayer, of Old Braintree (now Randolph), born in 1750, a daughter of Deacon Peter Thayer, whose mother was a grand-daughter of John Alden and Priscilla, "the Puritan maiden."

Deacon Thayer and wife were worthy scions of their Pilgrim ancestry. Phoebe taught school in the Randolph parish several times before her marriage, which took place in Peterboro', N. H., whither Deacon Thayer had removed a few months earlier. Ac-

cording to the genealogist of the "Thayer family." Mr. Cummings was then a resident of Topsfield, Mass. Their children were probably born in that town. They had three, Phœbe, born in August, 1783, Ebenezer and Jabez. The elder son grew to manhood and married, but died childless; the younger died in infancy; so that no one perpetuates Mr. Cummings' name; but Phœbe, his daughter, married Mr. Isaac H. Bailey, of North Yarmouth, and bore seven children, four of whom still survive. Her eldest son, Rev. Dudley P. Bailey, was a graduate of Bowdoin College, and devoted his life to the profession of his grandfather, with whose scholastic tastes and Christian virtues he was richly endowed. His first pastorate was in Greene. He subsequently removed to Cornville, and was called thence to the Baptist Church in Monson, Maine, where he preached for many years, and was very much beloved, not only by his own congregation, but by all the people of the town. He was a man of great purity, disinterestedness and worth; his life was singularly blameless and beautiful; a few years ago he retired from the ministry and settled in Hebron, where he died in 1878. The second son, Rhodolphus, was afflicted from childhood with impaired eyesight, and never married; he is living on a farm in Athens. Harriet is the widow of Thomas S. Pullen, a well-known citizen of Piscataquis County, who was formerly a member of the State Senate, and subsequently Probate Judge of that County; she resides in Foxcroft; her son is editor of the *Portland Press*. Emily is the widow of Col. Calvin S. Douty, of Dover, who commanded the First Maine Cavalry in the Civil War, and was killed in battle at Aldie, Va., in June, 1863. Isaac H. is a well-known merchant of New York City.

Mrs. Bailey died March 23, 1874, aged 90 years. Her monumental stone, in the upper cemetery of Yarmouth, records her parentage and her descent from John Allen, of the Mayflower. She seemed to have inherited her father's spiritual-mindedness and saintly nature. Her life was one of rare beauty and excellence. Her gentleness, unselfishness, helpfulness and cheerfulness made her one of the most companionable of women, steadfast of friends and cordial of neighbors. She was a perfect housewife, and her frugality and neatness were the admiration of her neighbors and friends. She was a communicant of the Baptist Church in Yarmouth, where thirty-three years of her existence were passed. In that town there are still many who remember how good and true she was; how full of sympathy and tenderness for all who suffered; how full of pity and forbearance for all who erred.

Mr. Cumming's period of married life, with his first wife, must have been brief; though the exact date of her death, and the place of it, are unknown, it was previous to his coming to Maine. As he was left with young and tender children, he considerably provided for them, by marrying in due time, Mrs. Hannah Leathe, of

Watertown, Mass. She had a daughter, Hannah, who eventually married a Mr. Warren, and had several children, of whom three survive, namely, Clement Warren, a prominent lumber merchant of Albany, N. Y.; Rev. E. R. Warren, a Baptist clergyman of New Berlin, Chenango Co., N. Y., and Horace M. Warren, a highly successful and much esteemed leather manufacturer in New York. Upon becoming a widow she also moved to Yarmouth, and here reared up her family.

The second Mrs. Cummings died in Yarmouth, in March, 1826. in the room in which I am writing, triumphing in the faith and hopes of the gospel, and greatly lamented because of her Christian virtues.

Probably, about 1788, Mr. Cummings moved to North Yarmouth, the part that is now Freeport, where Josiah Cummings, an elder brother, was already settled as an innkeeper, and afterwards came to the present Yarmouth Village. When or where he was ordained are now unknown, but from the beginning of his ministry he devoted himself to missionary labors, first in Massachusetts and neighboring states, afterward more especially in Maine. While in Freeport and Yarmouth, the islands and seaboard towns of this State especially attracted his attention and stirred up his Paulist spirit. Restrained by no denominational feelings; free from all rules of existing missionary societies; controlled only by an irrepressible love for the souls of perishing men, he went forth much like the primitive Christians, taking neither purse nor script, but sowing the good seed of the Kingdom beside all waters.

Having procured a small sail-boat, which he could manage with skill, he traversed these extensive river and sea coasts alone, not always free from the perils of water. And with these dwellers by the sea he became intimately acquainted, and by searching out sympathizing spirits and weaving the strong bonds of Christian love around them, he became everywhere respected and a universal favorite. He would sometimes leave his boat at the shore unguarded, when well laden with supplies for his family, bestowed in return for his ministry of spiritual things, but the roughest and most thievish, if they knew it to be his, would not molest it.

While residing in Freeport, the use of strong drink was common and excessive. As he was once passing a store, quite a crowd of men were about the door, foaming in profane and drunken revelry. He stopped and looked at them. They became silent. He lifted up his voice and exclaimed, "*In the name of God, I command the evil spirits to come out of you!*" They hung their heads and slunk away in shame to their homes, leaving a lesson which some of the young men and boys of the present day would do well to learn.

His missionary labors were not unfruitful. In Phippsburg and Edgecomb, where he frequently labored, his wise sayings, pungent declarations of Scriptural truth, and solemn and earnest appeals,

were felt and long remembered. In Bath he often supplied the Congregational pulpit, and in 1793 that people enjoyed a pleasant and extensive revival season under his ministry. Rev. Dr. Fiske referred to this in his Centennial sermon recently preached to the Winter-Street Church in that place.

He had some striking peculiarities. He was of decided ability, of a high degree of culture, with discriminating and logical powers of mind, and an excessive taste for philosophical speculation; but his devoted piety was always in the ascendant; hence he could interest all classes, and ingratiate himself with the literary and speculative. His love of astronomy would keep him out to a late hour of night, surveying the heavens and tracing the starry constellations, realizing in his own soul that in wisdom God had made them all, and that "An undevout astronomer is mad."

One notable characteristic was his *deep thinking*. When his mind fixed upon a subject he became oblivious to all things else. However this might aid his investigations, or promoted his enjoyment, it often proved a serious inconvenience in home life. Sometimes when dressing himself, becoming lost in thought, he would draw both of his long stockings upon the same foot, and soon raise the whole house to find his missing garment.

A neighbor once lent him a horse to ride to an appointment in a neighboring town; not finding a convenient place to mount him at his door, he led the animal along till one should appear. The day being warm, he dropped the bridle and took off his coat. While doing so he fell into one of his reveries, and became so absorbed in meditation that he thought no more of horse or garment till he reached his place of destination, and his friends inquired with some surprise if he had not taken a coat with him.

These eccentricities were so well understood that his friends readily excused them, knowing whence they arose. Probably this concentration of his mental powers brought back rich returns, though it may sometimes have pushed him beyond the limits of rational investigation.

His literary efforts seem to have all been born of this quality. Among his discourses were "*Spirits and Phantasms*," the "*Two Witnesses*" and the "*Millennium*." The latter two were published by Manning & Loring, Boston, in 1797. His greatest work was a volume entitled "*Contemplations on the Cherubim*," published in 1812. A writer, reviewing it, remarks that "the subject of the book was too much out of the way of ordinary inquiry, and the manner of discussing it much too literary for common readers. Copies of the "*Cherubim*" and "*Millennium*" are now to be found in the Congregational Library of Boston.

Like many of his day, he believed that the spirits of the dead might, and sometimes did, come back to earth; and the book first mentioned was written in defence of that idea. It was one of his

favorites; he read it to families of which he was a guest, not always to the edification of all.

He was *spiritually minded*: pre-eminently so in the highest and best sense of the term. Hence his popularity with so many Christians of different denominations. his catholicity, his liberality on non-essentials, and unflinching tenacity to the essential principles of vital Christianity. This appeared in his discourses, in his apt and ready defence of gospel truth, and in his ingenious exposure of popular errors. A certain person who scouted the practice of studying sermons before delivering them, once asked Mr. Cummings if he did not sometimes *write* his sermons beforehand. He replied, frankly: "Oh, yes." "Don't you write them, sometimes, a long time before preaching them?" "Yes, sometimes." And don't they get dry, and cold, and musty?" continued his interlocutor. "Not at all! *salt* will keep them; put the *salt of divine grace* into your sermons, and they will never *must*," he replied.

His spiritual-mindedness swept him out into bold currents of thought. It led him to prize highly everything of a spiritual nature. He read the works of Emmanuel Swedenborg, and accepted portions of them, affirming that he gathered the good into vessels and cast the bad away.

He was *strenuously conscientious*. His reverend nephew, Dr. Asa Cummings, once invited him to dine with him. He replied: "*I will* if you will let me perform both religious services at the table." He proceeded to explain: "You have united in worship with Rev. Mr. ———, of North Andover. He is an Armenian. They have fellowship for the Unitarians, the Unitarians for the Socinians, and the Arians for the Arians for the Mahomedans. So that if I now extend Christian fellowship to you I do also to the Mahomedans." His good-natured nephew respected his scruples and conceded the privilege, allowing him to keep his conscience void of offence, and to enjoy his dinner, too. Understanding Paul's direction to the Church of Corinth and to Timothy, upon women's taking part in social meetings, literally, he disapproved of females ever speaking in such. One who zealously prized and practiced that privilege, in contending for it asked him: "What must I do when I feel that I must die or go out, if I do not speak and relieve my mind?" "Die or go out, then," he replied, "but do not disobey the Apostle."

When Dr. Emmons published a discourse in defence of Infant Baptism, Mr. Cummings published one in reply, insisting that believers only were the proper subjects of that rite. At a later date, when Dr. Baldwin, of Boston, strained the first part of the 19th chapter of the Acts to support certain views, he as squarely met those interpretations, earnestly contending for what he conscientiously held the Scriptures taught.

He preached an able sermon against "close communion" in

Sullivan, Me., in September, 1820. By request of the Baptist Church of that town it was published. One of his objections to close communion, that he urged with great force was this: "It prevented a just and wholesome church discipline." Close communionists would exclude a member for going to the Lord's table outside of their own faith and order as they would for absolutely disreputable acts. He stated a case to sustain this proposition. A member of a certain church, beyond reproach in everything else, broke the rules of close communion, and was expelled. Another was found guilty of breaking the seventh commandment, and he was of course ejected. The two ex-members, thus disciplined, met, and the first reproved the second for bringing such a stain upon religion. He retorted, "You, too, have been cut off; you were a little too social in one way, I in another. Our Christian brethren judged us equally guilty. There may not be so much difference between us as you imagine."

But he did not *practice* open communion. He was once asked by a Congregationalist minister who wished him to preach to his people on a communion Sabbath, if he could commune with them. He curtly replied, "*I can, but I won't!*" He explained: "I enjoy that privilege as often as is necessary with the Baptists. My sentiments on that subject are displeasing to many of them. If I should put them in practice, they would entirely reject me, and prevent me from doing them any more good."

An unfaltering trust in Divine Providence was another striking trait in his character. Though he had a family, he never depended upon a fixed salary, but trusted to voluntary contributions. More fortunate than others would have been, these were usually liberal. New clothing, or a new boat, or ordinary supplies, if needed, his thoughtful friends furnished, as a just tribute to his worth. When leaving home for a trip along the coast he would never take any lunch-basket, trusting that he would reach some hospitable house in time of need. But calms or baffling winds would often keep him long fasting, so that when he came to the table he would have a keen relish for a large meal.

On one occasion he was blown off some ways from land, and it happened that he had no provisions on board. After a while he felt the pangs of hunger. He had a hook and line with him, but nothing for bait. Providentially, as he thought, when still far out, a grasshopper lit upon his boat. With this he baited his hook, caught a fish, and thus his necessities were relieved.

He had a lively sense of humor: many anecdotes illustrative of this trait have been told of him. He came near losing the confidence of one pious lady in Yarmouth who had always held him in the deepest reverence, and at whose house he was ever a welcome guest. He was relating to her his experiences of sojourn on the shores of Penobscot Bay, and he told her, with a perfectly serious

countenance, that the musquitoes there were so large that "a good many of them would weigh a pound." and, he added, "they frequently get up on the trees and bark!"

Sometimes, when afloat in his boat alone, he would fall asleep. His friends remonstrated with him against such exposure, as his boat, left to winds and waves, might be capsized. His characteristic reply was: "It is as cheap going to Heaven by water as it is by land." Not long before his death he drifted as far south as New Jersey, but returned to Maine to die here.

He had labored much and acceptably with the Congregationalists; with them he met his last sickness, and by them he was buried. His second consort, and his children, except Mrs. Bailey, had passed away before him; his home had been broken up, and he spent more time than formerly among his endeared Christian friends. Among these were the Percy family, in the lower part of Phippsburg, whose pleasant hospitality he had often shared and gratefully appreciated. Passing down the bay in his boat, which the people of Bath had given him, and christened it "Cummings," he was taken ill when near the Percy dwelling. He moored his boat for the last time, repaired to that desired haven, and there rapidly declined and breathed his last. Rev. Jonathan Adams, of Woolwich, whom he had selected, preached at his funeral.

The following extract of an obituary, evidently written by Rev. Asa Cummings, which appeared in the *Christian Mirror* of the following week, gives us a good view of the hallowed occasion:

"Mr. Cummings never had any stated pastoral charge, but there were few towns on and near the coast, from Passamaquoddy to Rhode Island, where he was not known and beloved as a minister of Christ. The inhabitants of the numerous islands belonging to Maine have for several years enjoyed his benevolent and disinterested labors, and many in different parts of the State regard him as their spiritual father. It will be gratifying to his relatives and personal friends, as well as to all those to whom he has gone preaching the gospel of the kingdom, to know that his end was peaceful, that his sick and dying bed was attended by affectionate friends, who felt it a privilege to minister to this venerable servant of Jesus; that his departure from toil to a crown occurred in a place, and surrounded by friends, among whom he would choose to die. The inhabitants of Phippsburg and Bath showed this apostle no little kindness; they seemed emulous to provide for him everything that could contribute to his comfort. His remains were interred on the 2d instant. The great concourse of people from Phippsburg and the neighboring towns who attended his solemnities, and followed his body to the grave, afforded ample testimony of their estimate of his worth and their affectionate regards for his memory; and from more than one was the exclamation heard: 'A great man has fallen in Israel!'"

THE SOULE FAMILY.

DR. CHARLES E. BANKS and ENOS C. SOULE.

(Continued from page 979.)

(29) JEDEDIAH SOULE⁴ (*Moses*¹, *John*², *George*³,) the youngest of the three brothers who emigrated to North Yarmouth from "South Shore" (Duxbury), was born about 1720, and came to Long Island, Casco Bay, where he settled. His descendants comprise more than half of the present number of persons who have borne the name of Soule in Freeport. He married, in Duxbury, 2 Nov. 1741, Tabitha Bishop, and after she came to North Yarmouth she was baptized in adult life, 26 Oct. 1766, at the First Church.

Children: SOULE.

- 177 i Ichabod⁵ ; (of whom presently.)
- 178 ii Deborah⁵ ; bap. 15 Sept. 1765, at the First Church of Falmouth; m. to Ambrose Hamilton, of Chebeague, 28 Apr. 1763, by David Mitchell, Esq
- 179 iii Jedediah⁵ ; (of whom presently.)
- 180 iv James⁵ ; (of whom presently.)
- 181 v Jonathan⁵ ; (of whom presently.)
- 182 vi Tabitha⁵ ; m., by David Mitchell, Esq., 25 July 1776, to Nathaniel Stevens.
- 183 vii Jesse⁵ ; (of whom presently.)
- 184 viii Mercy⁵ ; m., by David Mitchell, Esq., 23 Jan. 1786, to Samuel Bartol.

(177) ICHABOD SOULE⁵ (*Jedediah*⁴, *Moses*³, *John*², *George*¹), born about 1742, and probably the oldest child. He was married by Jonas Mason, Esq., to Martha Barton, 24 Nov. 1768.

Children: SOULE.

- 185 i Robert⁶ ; bap. 6 June 1773 ; m. Lydia Curtis, of Hanover, Mass., 12 Mar. 1789, and had: Lucy⁷, b. 29 Jan. 1790 ; James⁷, b. 12 Mar. 1793 ; Isaac⁷, b. 11 July 1797 ; Seth⁷, b. 14 Sept. 1800 ; Hannah Curtis⁷, b. 14 June 1809.
- 186 ii Elizabeth⁶ ; bap. 6 June 1773.
- 187 iii Phebe⁶ ; bap. 28 May 1775 ; m. Amos Sylvester, 28 May 1796.

(179) JEDEDIAH SOULE⁵ (*Jedediah*⁴, *Moses*³, *John*², *George*¹), born about 1747, married Mary Pinkham, 7 Nov. 1776.

Children: SOULE.

- 188 i Jedediah⁶ ; m. Hannah Brown, 8 Dec. 1811, and had:

- Mary Ann⁷, b. 18 June 1812; Solomon⁷, b. 1 Jan. 1814; Jacob⁷, b. 7 Nov. 1815; Jane⁷, b. 19 Feb. 1818; George⁷, b. 21 Aug. 1820; Adeline⁷, b. 31 Aug. 1824; Amanda⁷, b. 28 Apr. 1828.
- 189 ii Solomon⁶; d. 24 Nov. 1811.
- 190 iii Joanna⁶.
- 191 iv Jacob⁶.
- 192 v Jesse⁶; b. about 1786; m. Hannah Eells, 4 Jan. 1818 who d. 10 Aug. 1831. They had: Joseph⁷, b. 18 May 1819; Albion P.⁷, b. 10 Feb. 1822; Leonard G.⁷, b. 25 Sept. 1826, m. Adrianna G. Merrill, 23 May 1852, who d. 9 Feb. 1863; Sarah J.⁷, b. 18 Sept. 1829. He m., 2d, Caroline Cummings, 25 Nov. 1832, and had: Hannah Eells⁷, b. 18 Jan. 1834; Enoch C.⁷, b. 17 Mar. 1835.

(180) JAMES SOULE⁵ (*Jedediah*⁴, *Moses*³, *John*², *George*¹), b. 4 Apr. 1754, married, 7 Apr. 1778, Martha Curtis, of Hanover, Mass.

Children:

SOULE.

- 193 i Rachel⁶; b. 1 Mar. 1779; m. Stephen Bennett, 12 Dec. 1803.
- 194 ii James⁶; b. 9 July 1781, m. Sarah Brown, 24 Oct. 1807, and had: ———⁷, (a son, Dr. Hyde's record) b. 1 Nov. 1808; Sarah Ann⁷, b. 2 Jan. 1810, m. Ira Mitchell, 8 July 1832; Mary Edwards⁷, b. 23 Nov. 1811, m. John Holbrook, 24 Apr. 1835; William Brown⁷, b. 8 Nov. 1813, m. Pamelia Dunlap, but soon deserted her for parts unknown; Thomas⁷, b. 16 Oct. 1815, missed from a sailor boarding-house in Boston,—never heard from; Andrew⁷, b. 16 Apr. 1817, m. in Boston, had three children, deserted his family and went to the West; James Stillman⁷, b. 12 Oct. 1819, m. Mary J. Holbrook; Lydia Loring⁷, b. 21 Jan. 1823, m. Thomas Lachey; Maria Stockbridge⁷, b. 9 Sept. 1825; Henry Stevens⁷, b. 15 Feb. 1827, went to California and disappeared.
- 195 iii Andrew⁶; b. 9 Apr. 1783; m. Mahala Porter, 16 Oct. 1809, and had: Rebecca Porter⁷, b. 4 Aug. 1810, m. Seth Rogers, 24 Apr. 1831; Desire⁷, b. 6 June 1812, m. William Davis; Reuben⁷, b. 20 May 1816, d. 9 Jan. 1817; Martha⁷, b. 14 Aug. 1817, m. Benjamin Dennison; Benjamin Porter⁷, b. 19 Nov. 1819, m. Georgeanna Brown; Mahala⁷, b. 21 Apr. 1822, m. Daniel Soule; Hannah⁷, b. 10 June 1825, m. (1st) Gershom Bliss, m. (2d) Lyman Walsh;

- ⁷, (a son, Dr. Hyde's record). b. 10 Jan. 1827; Andrew Jackson⁷, b. 12 Oct. 1831, d. young.
- 196 iv William⁶; b. 27 Nov. 1785; m. Elizabeth Mitchell. 17 Sept. 1815, and had: Caroline⁷, b. 6 Apr. 1816; Eliza⁷, b. 6 May 1819; Julia⁷, b. 21 Aug. 1821; Susan⁷, b. 6 Apr. 1825; William⁷, b. 12 June 1829; Pamela⁷, b. 29 May 1830; Marquis⁷, b. 17 Oct. 1832; George H.⁷, b. 28 Feb. 1835; Adriana⁷, b. 9 Jan. 1838.
- 197 v Martha⁶; b. 11 Sept. 1788; m. Barnabas Johnson, 16 Apr. 1812.
- 198 vi Samuel⁶; b. 9 Apr. 1791; (living in 1880); m. (1st) Sarah Griffin, 22 Oct. 1812; m. (2d) Sophronia, dau. of David and Mehitabel (73) (Soule) Dennison, 14 Mar. 1814. He had: Louisa Griffin⁷, b. 21 Sept. 1814; Sophronia⁷, b. 14 Jan. 1816; Danl. Griffin⁷, b. 9 Apr. 1818, m. Mahala⁷, dau. of Andrew⁶ (195) Soule; Mehitabel⁷, b. 16 Mar. 1820; Samuel Holbrook⁷, b. 31 July 1822, m. Caroline E. Sweetser, 15 Apr. 1858; Ansyl Clark⁷, b. 29 Feb. 1824; Emeline⁷, b. 7 Aug. 1829; Minerva Ann⁷, b. 9 Feb. 1833, m. John H. Griffin, 13 Apr. 1857; Frederick⁷, b. 27 May 1840.
- 199 vii Dorcas⁶; b. 1 Oct. 1794; m. Isaacher W. Kilby, 21 Sept. 1825.
- 200 viii Joshua⁶; b. 31 July 1796; m. Rachel Pratt, of Pownal, 22 Mar. 1819, and had: Joshua C.⁷, b. 12 Sept. 1819, m. Mary Staples; Rachel⁷, b. 29 Oct. 1821; Deborah Stover⁷, b. 10 Dec. 1824; Charles William⁷, b. 7 July 1829; Isaac Smith⁷, b. 27 Apr. 1832; Edmund P.⁷, b. 25 Jan. 1835.
- 201 ix Charles⁶; b. 26 Jan. 1800; m. (1st) Eliza Ann Blackstone, 31 Oct. 1824; m. (2d) Susan Dennison; he had: Eliza Ellen⁷, b. 8 Nov. 1825; Dorcas⁷, b. 4 Nov. 1827; Mary⁷, b. 1 May 1830, m. Joseph Wyman; Alonzo King⁷, b. 23 July 1832, m. Lucy Ann Beals, 25 Nov. 1855; Charles Henry⁷, b. 11 Nov. 1834; Benjamin F.⁷, b. 19 June 1837; Andrew Jackson⁷, b. 22 Feb. 1842. By second wife he had: Annie⁷, b. 23 Jan. 1848; Daniel⁷, b. 3 Dec. 1850.

(181) JONATHAN SOULE⁵ (*Jedediah⁴ Moses³ John² George¹*), born 13 July 1756, married Mary Mitchell, 20 Nov. 1783.

Children: SOULE.

202 i Sarah⁶; b. 29 Sept. 1784; m. Daniel Potter, 23 July 1809.

- 203 ii Joanna⁶; b. 22 Aug. 1789; m. ——— Richardson.
 204 iii Mary⁶; b. 24 Sept. 1791; d. 2 Jan. 1879; m. Europe
 Kelsey, 4 Nov. 1827.
 205 iv Elizabeth⁶; b. 5 Apr. 1794.
 206 v Samuel⁶; b. 19 Feb. 1799.
 207 vi Elbridge⁶; b. 16 May 1810.

(183) JESSE SOULE⁵ (*Jedediah*⁴, *Moses*³, *John*², *George*¹). known as the "Colonel," a title which he probably acquired from service in the militia, born about 1759, married Abigail Hill, 21 Nov. 1782. He died 28 Jan. 1842.

Children: SOULE.

- 208 i William⁶; b. 3 Sept. 1783; d. — Oct. 1804.
 209 ii Asenath⁶; b. 27 June 1785; m. Robert White, 16
 Mar. 1819.
 210 iii George⁶; b. 12 Aug. 1787; d. 9 Feb. 1805.
 211 iv Rowland⁶; b. 18 Nov. 1789.
 212 v Susannah⁶; b. 20 May 1792.
 213 vi Jonathan⁶; b. 4 Sept. 1794; m. Deborah Snell, 5
 Dec. 1822, and had: Henry Augustus⁷, b. 4 Sept.
 1824; Deborah Ann⁷, b. 20 Jan. 1826; Sarah
 Maria⁷, b. 24 Jan. 1828; Samuel Bucknam⁷, b. 11
 Oct. 1830; Alvin⁷, b. 22 June 1834.
 214 vii Josiah⁶; b. 18 Feb. 1798; m. Susan ———, and had:
 Josiah Newell⁷, b. 21 Aug. 1823; Sarah Jane⁷, b.
 23 Jan. 1825; Asahel Bigelow⁷, b. 31 Aug. 1827;
 George William⁷, b. 31 Sept. 1830; Lavinia Hitch-
 cock⁷, b. 27 Mar. 1832; Susan Maria⁷, b. 4 Oct.
 1834; Mary Eliza⁷, b. 17 Sept. 1836; Julia Or-
 men⁷, b. 10 Dec. 1839.
 215 viii Reuben⁶; b. 25 Feb. 1802; d. 3 Dec. 1802.
 216 ix Jesse Leonard⁶; b. 23 Sept. 1803; m. Lois, dau. of
 Levi and Joanna (Mitchell) Loring, 7 Dec. 1827.
 a grand-daughter of Rev. Nicholas Loring, and had:
 Mary Ann⁷, b. 10 June 1828, d. 19 Jan. 1845;
 William Leonard⁷, b. 22 Oct. 1830; Rhoda Jane⁷,
 b. 24 Oct. 1833; George Allen⁷, b. 24 Feb. 1838.

NOTE.—The foregoing genealogy is a mere skeleton as it now stands, being a collection of names and dates arranged in order, serving, however, a purpose in the preservation of these facts, but not accomplishing all that it might. Some few branches, as will be noticed, are replete with biographical material which has been kindly furnished by interested members, and it is the desire of the compilers to make the rest as complete as possible. This work is but the pioneer of a larger edition to be published later, and is

issued to the family now for the purpose of eliciting further information. This can only be obtained by the personal assistance of the descendants of the separate branches, and it is confidently expected that our gratuitous labors will be seconded by hearty and active work of others. It is only by a little labor here and there that such work can be accomplished. Therefore any member of the family who sees this is respectfully asked to look first at his own particular record, note errors, if any, make such additions as may be necessary, and then do the same for other branches if any facts are known, and forward the memoranda to Capt. Enos C. Soule, Newton, Mass. Biographical sketches are especially wanted; offices, civil or military; literary work, and all dates of birth, death or marriage not found herein. We have printed all that we could ascertain, and if anything is lacking the reader will understand that such facts are needed to complete the record.

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THE COMPILERS.

RECORD OF BAPTISMS,
AT THE
FIRST CHURCH, NORTH YARMOUTH.

(Continued from page 985.)

1810.

Jan. 14 Francis Brown, son of Capt. Bela & Dorcas Blanchard.
21 Sarah, dau. of Isaiah and Molly Booker [531, 1st Ch.], of Bowdoingham. 28 Ruhamah, dau. of John & Hannah Trow [512, 1st Ch.]

Apr. 29 Homer Johnson, William Brenton Hall, sons of Dr. Daniel & Larissa Clark [557, 1st Ch.]; John Dean, son of John D. & Lydia Blanchard.

May 27 Nancy Doan, Genette Elizabeth [63 and 64, p. 836], daus. of John & Mary Ann Humphrey.

June 13 Nancy Cushing, dau. of Rufus & Abigail Chandler, (the ordinance administered at D. Chandler's, on Chebeag.)

July 22 Jane, Elizabeth Mitchell, William, [97, 98 and 100, p. 769], ch. of Capt. William & Isabella Cutter; Lucretia Loring [50, p. 250], dau. of Dr. A. R. & Phebe Mitchell; Sally, a black

girl belonging to the household of Dr. Mitchell. 25 Susannah, Mary, Thomas Emery, John Richardson, Joseph Nixon, ch. of Thomas & Hannah Worthley [see p. 786]. (at a lecture at Col. Lawrence's.)

Aug. 1 Hannah Hamilton, dau. of Beals & Rachel Thompson [413, p. 901]. (at a lecture at Eleazer Hill's, Cozens' Island.)

Sept. 17 Mary, dau. of William [39, p. 882] & Anna Loring.

Oct. 21 Elizabeth, William, grandchildren of Samuel & Mary Cutter [103, p. 769?]; John, Mary Ann, Joseph, Charles, Theodotia, Sarah Jane and Elizabeth Loring, ch. of Bezaleel & Mary Young; Hannah, dau. of John & Jane Hayes; Samuel, William, sons of Alfred & Mary Mason; Samuel Veazie, son of Dummer & Lydia Mitchell; Nicholas Loring [66, p. 836], son of John & Mary Ann Humphrey. 31 Richard, Ambrose, John, Jane, Robert, Solomon, ch. of John, Jr., & Anna Hamilton (baptized at a lecture at the house of David Chandler, Chebeag.)

Nov. 25 Dolly, dau. of Richmond, 3d, [57, p. 928], & Dolly Loring.

1811.

Jan. 20 William, son of Bezaleel & Mary Young. 23 Rebecca Sykes, Hannah, Drusilla, Anna, ch. of Solomon & Hannah Low (baptized at a lecture at the school-house, near Pownal.)

Mar. 3 Sarah Jane [Jones?] [73, p. 768], dau. of John & Elizabeth Cutter (d. Aug. 28, 1813); William, son of Amasa & Amy Baker (see p. 909.) 13 Rachel Gray, dau. of Zadoc & Rachel Whitcomb (baptized by special request, at the house, the child being sick); Margaret, Zena, Abigail, James, Harriet, ch. of George & Margaret Roberts (baptized at a lecture at the house.)

Apr. 28 Samuel Russell, John Edward, Mary Ann, ch. of Seth & Mary Ann Bearce; Ammi Ruhamah [52, p. 250], son of Chas. C. & Margaret T. Mitchell.

May 20 Daniel Harrdon, son of Rufus & Abigail Chandler (baptized at a lecture at the house of Mr. Ricker.)

June 23 Elizabeth Gilman Elwell, member of the household of Francis & Elizabeth Brown.

July 7 Ammi R. Mitchell, son of Edmund & Jane Cleaves.

Sept. 29 Sarah, dau. of Alfred & Mary Mason (died 22 Jan. 1812.)

Oct. 13 Martha Mayhew, dau. of John & ——— Small. 27 Hannah Worthley [598, 1st Ch.], adult, wf. of Thomas; Martha Merrill, adult, wf. of Israel; Tristram Gilman, son of Jeremiah, Jr., & Hannah Mitchell; Mary Mitchell, Rufus (Parker) belonging to the household of Jeremiah, Jr., & Hannah Mitchell.

Nov. 3 Martha Ann [110, p. 392], dau. of Allen & Hannah Drinkwater. 6 Fanny Winslow, Sarah Jane, Justin Worthley, ch. of Israel & Martha Merrill (baptized at a lecture at the house of Thomas Worthley) [see p. 768.]

1812.

Jan. 8 Catharine, Lenora, twin daus. of Nathl. & Ruth Jenks (baptized at the house of Capt. Jenks); Bela Thaxter, son of Gad & Mary Hitchcock. 22 Humphrey Chase, son of Isaiah & Molly Booker [531, 1st Ch.], of Canaan, (baptized at a lecture at Mr. Chase's.)

Feb. 2 Elizabeth Lawrence [600, 1st Ch.], adult, wf. of Saml.; Abigail Varnum [601, 1st Ch.], dau.-in-law of Mr. Winslow.

Apr. 20 Mary Lincoln Hitchcock [603, 1st Ch.], adult, wf. of Dr. Gad Hitchcock.

May 10 John [67, p. 836], son of John (deceased) & Mary Ann Humphrey.

June 7 Melzer Loring, son of Thomas [see p. 786] & Hannah Worthley. 14 Betsey Buxton [605, 1st Ch.], adult, wife of Samuel. 17 John Pritchard, Eliza, William Roulstone, Almira, ch. of Samuel & Betsey Buxton (baptized at a lecture at Capt. Buxton's. 21 Sally Haskell, Edmund, Pelatiah, Jane Hale, John, Hannah Merrill, ch. of Capt. John & Mary March; Ruth, member of William & Anna Loring's household.

July 5 Lucretia, William Adams Gray, ch. of Samuel & Elizabeth Lawrence; Jacob Loring, son of Dummer & Lydia Mitchell.

Aug. 2 Margaret Roberts [608, 1st Ch.] adult; Deborah Snell [610, 1st Ch.], adult, dau. of Widow ——— Snell. 23 Francis Brown [51, p. 250], son of Dr. A. R. & Phebe Mitchell.

Sept. 13 Sarah Hill [417, p. 901], dau. of Beals Thompson (baptized by Mr. Beman); Edward Henry, son of Daniel & Theodosia Mitchell. 27 John Gray [140, p. 397], son of the Widow Pamela Drinkwater.

Oct. 25 Elizabeth, dau. of Richmond, 3d, [57, p. 928] & Lucinda Loring.

Nov. 1 Alpheus Mitchell, son of John D. & Lydia Blanchard.

Dec. 6 Martha Leach [256, p. 793], dau. of Sylvanus & Matilda Prince.

1813.

Jan. 31 Gardner, son of Alfred & Mary Mason.

Mar. 7 Samuel Gilman, son of Francis & Elizabeth Brown; Marcia, dau. of Nathaniel & Ruth Jenks; Lavinia, dau. of Gad & Mary L. Hitchcock; George Buxton [91, p. 252], son of Ammi R., Jr., & Susan Mitchell.

Apr. 25 Mary Thaxter [31, p. 44], dau. of Jonathan & Hannah Greely.

May 2 Thomas Worthley, son of Israel & Martha Merrill.

June 6 Lucretia Richmond, dau. of William [39, p. 882] & Anna Loring. 16 Lucy, John, Sarah Hobart, ch. of Samuel & Susanna C. Gammon.

Aug. 8 Joseph Carpenter, son of Joseph & Charlotte Richard-

son (baptized in Baldwin, at the house of Zebulon Larrabee.)

Sept. 12 John, son of Edmund & Jane Cleaves; Levi [101, p. 769], son of William & Isabella Cutter. 20 Enoch, son of John, Jr., & Anna Hamilton.

Oct. 24 Bezaleel Loring, son of Enos & Lucretia Storer.

Nov. 21 Jane Chase, dau. of Samuel & Jane (deceased) Hatch (baptized on account of Sally Chase.)

1814.

Jan. 19 Ammi Ruhamah, son of Jeremiah Mitchell, Jr.; Joseph Sturdivant, son of Daniel Mitchell, 3d, (died Oct. 15, 1814) both baptized at a lecture at Jeremiah Mitchell's.)

Feb. 27 Jane Hatch, dau. of Isaiah & Molly Booker [4, p. 988], of Canaan.

Mar. 13 Mary Osgood, dau. of William & Mary Barrows.

May 1 Francis Jones, son of Richmond, Jr., [57, p. 928] & Lucinda Loring.

June 12 Deborah Bucknam [74, p. 768], dau. of John & Elizabeth Cutter.

July 24 Mary, dau. of Francis & Elizabeth Brown; Phebe Buxton [74, p. 251] dau. of Dea. Jacob & Hannah Mitchell; 31 Jane, dau. of Samuel & Susanna C. Gammon.

Sept. 4 Freeman Lewis, son of Thomas [see p. 786] & Hannah Worthley.

Oct. 2 Mary Morgaridge, Ruth Cummings, William Morgaridge, Sarah Mitchell, ch. of David? & Sarah Jordan; Ammi Greely [82, p. 768], son of Ammi & Hannah Cutter; Alfred Mason, son of Daniel & Theodosia Mitchell. ———, son of Samuel & Elizabeth Lawrence (by Mr. Smith.) 23 George Sewall, son of Sylvanus & Matiida [175, p. 793] Prince (died Mar. 9, 1816.)

Nov. 6 Harriet Newell, dau. of George & Betsey Robbins (by Mr. Nason.) 13 Margaret Gray, adult [621, 1st Ch.] 27 Dummer, son of late Dummer & Lydia Mitchell.

Dec. 18 James Edward, son of Dr. Daniel & Larissa Clark.

1815.

Jan. Henry Bailey, son of Dr. Gad & Mary L. Hitchcock.

Apr. 23 William Barrows, adult [622, 1st Ch.]; Sylvanus Prince, adult [623, 1st Ch.]; Sarah Fessenden, dau. of William & Mary P. Barrows.

May 14 William Miltimore, son of John D. & Lydia Blanchard.

July 30 Susanna Lewis, dau. of Israel & Martha Merrill.

Aug. 20 Anna Pratt, adult [630, 1st Ch.]; Catharine Greely, adult, [632, 1st Ch.]; Mehitabel Worthley, adult, [634, 1st Ch.]

Sept. 3 Harrison Otis, son of Joshua & Lucy Gray; Abigail, dau. of Edmund & Jane Cleaves; Charles Lee, adopted son of David, Jr., [58, p. 382?] & Olive Drinkwater; Margaret Jane,

dau. of Catherine Greely. 17 Lucy Seabury [99, p. 403], adult, wf. of John.

1816.

Mar. 24 Rachel, dau. of Timothy & Phebe Worthley [p. 786.]

June 9 Joseph Baker, son of Richmond, Jr., [57, p. 928], & Lucinda Loring. 16 Dorcas Jane, dau. of Daniel, Jr. & Rachel Mitchell.

July 7 Joseph Curtis, son of Amasa & Amy Baker.

Aug. 11 Sarah Jane, dau. of Jeremiah, Jr., & Hannah Mitchell (baptized by Rev. Jonathan Scott.) 18 Appleton, son of John & Prudence Webster [see p. 162.]

Sept. 22 Joseph, son of Joseph & Mary Pratt; Benj. Francis [75, p. 251], son of Dea. Jacob & Hannah Mitchell (baptized by Rev. Jonathan Ward.)

Nov. 3 Joseph Green, son of Silas Merrill, (presented by his grandparents, E. & M. Hill; Sarah Lincoln, dau. of Dr. Gad & Mary L. Hitchcock (bap. by Rev. Wm. Miltimore.)

Dec. 6 Mary Lewis & Sarah Beals, twin daus. of Daniel & Theodosia Mitchell (baptized by Rev. Perez Chapin.)

1817.

Jan. — Nancy Perley, dau. of William & Mary P. Barrows (by Rev. Amasa Smith); Charlotte [111, p. 392,] dau. of Allen & Hannah Drinkwater (died Aug. 17, 1817) (by Rev. Timothy Willard.)

Apr. 25 Joseph, John, Hannah, Albion, Samuel, William, Alford, Prudence, [101-108, p. 403], ch. of John & Lucy Seabury (bap. at a lecture at David Seabury's, by Rev. T. Willard.) 29 Thomas Spencer, son of George & Betsey Robbins (by Rev. Perez Chapin.)

May — Asa, son of Thomas & Hannah Worthley [p. 786], (by Rev. Timothy Willard.)

Aug. 10 Margaret Maria [63, p. 251], dau. of William & Sally T. Mitchell (bap. by Rev. Allen Greely); Joshua Adams, son of Joshua & Lucy Gray.

Sept. 28 Lewis, son of Samuel & Susan H. Gammon.

Nov. 16 Sarah Kenney, adult, [658, 1st Ch.] dau. of Samuel; John Hayes, son of Israel & Martha Merrill.

1818.

Mar. 9 Susan White [104, p. 253], dau. of Jeremiah & Sally H. Mitchell, of Norway. 19 Joseph Woodbury, son of Samuel & Elizabeth Lawrence.

May — Edward, son of Stephen & Mehitabel Moulton.

July 19 Samuel B. Franklin, son of George & Elizabeth Robbins; Mary Phillips, dau. of Daniel, Jr., & Rachel Mitchell (by Pres't Brown.)

Oct. 16 Henry Augustus, son of Edmund & Jane Cleaves, (by Mr. Ward); Sally, Lucy, Joseph, William, Samuel, Elizabeth Bucknam, Reuben, ch. of Joseph & Elizabeth Chandler (at a lecture at their house.) 18 William Gardner [64, p. 251], son of William C. & Sally Mitchell.

Nov. 1 Olive, dau. of Tristram [48, p. 389], & Margaret Drinkwater. 15 Mary Ann, dau of Jeremiah, Jr., & Hannah Mitchell; Enos Chandler, adult [668, 1st Ch.] 19 Joseph, William, Olive, Ephraim, Eliphalet Greely, ch. of Greely & Deborah Sturdevant (at a lecture at their house.)

Dec. 20 Lebbeus Bates, son of Timothy & Phebe Worthley [see p. 786.]

1819.

Feb. 28 John Prescott, adult, [673, 1st Ch.]; Dorcas [670, 1st Ch.], wf. of Charles Cutter.

June — Richmond [105, p. 253], son of Jeremiah & Sally H. Mitchell, of Norway (by Rev. John W. Ellingwood.)

July 4 William Rufus, son of Dr. Gad & Mary L. Hitchcock; Gardner Mitchell, son of Greely & Deborah Sturdevant (by Rev. A. Smith.)

Oct 3 Martha, dau. of Israel & Martha Merrill. 10 Samuel Woodbury [76, p. 252], son of Dea. Jacob & Hannah Mitchell (at a prayer-meeting at his house); Hannah Reed, dau. of Saml. & Polly Fisher [2, p. 162], (members of Rev. Mr. Smith's ch.; by Rev. Caleb Barge.)

1820.

May 15 George Edwin, son of Capt. George H. & Betsey Robbins, (at an evening lecture at the meeting-house, by Rev. E. Gillett.)

June 11 Gad, son of Dr. Gad & Mary L. Hitchcock; Eliza Soule, dau. of Joseph & Mary Pratt (by Rev. Allen Greely.)

Sept. 14 Ammi [109, p. 403], son of John & Lucy Seabury (by Rev. Enos Merrill, at a lecture in the schoolhouse.)

Oct. 15 John Rogers, Amy Ann, Thomas Edward, Rachel Humphrey, [409 $\frac{1}{4}$ –409 $\frac{3}{4}$, p. 900]. ch. of Martha R. Wentworth, widow of the late Thomas Wentworth, (at a communion, sabbath evening, at Bro. John Cutter's when his son William [676, 1st Ch.] was admitted by Rev. Otis C. Whiton.)

1821.

Mar. 4 William Griswold, son of William & Mary P. Barrows.

Apr. 15 David Thaxter [198, p. 790], son of Reuben & Hannah Hayes. 29 Sylvanus Austin, son of Sylvanus & Matilda Prince. [175, p. 793.]

June 3 Greely, John, James Sturdivant, Mary Jane, ch. of

John & Mary Ann Pittee [543, 1st Ch.]; Sarah Ann, Samuel Augustus, George William, [171-173, p. 773], ch. of Samuel B. & Sarah Cutter. 17 Theodosia, dau. of Maj. Daniel & Theodosia Mitchell; Franklin, son of Samuel & Susanna C. Gammon [513, 1st Ch.]

Aug. 26 George, son of Richmond [57, p. 928] & Lucinda Loring.

Oct. 7 Asa Cummings [77, p. 252], son of Dea. Jacob & Hannah Mitchell. 28 John March [106, p. 253], son of Jeremiah & Sally H. Mitchell, of Norway, (at a prayer-meeting on sabbath eve at Dea. Mitchell's.)

1822.

Mar. 3 Mary Brainard, adult, wife of James C. Hill; Mary, adult, dau. of William & Susan Gooding; Elizabeth Porter adult, dau. of William (dec'd) & Judith Parsons; Caroline Augusta, grand-daughter of Hannah wife of Rev. Abram Cummings; William Merrill, [712, 1st Ch.], adult, son of James & Sarah Hill; Elizabeth Bailey, infant ch. of Israel & Martha Merrill.

Apr. 7 Mary Chase [717, 1st Ch.], adult, wife of Chas. Chase; Lucy, [720, 1st Ch.], adult, dau. of Abner Tuttle; Charlotte Welch, [721, 1st Ch.], adult; Susan [723, 1st Ch.], adult, dau. of William & Susan Gooding; Benjamin Rowe, infant son of John, Jr., & Esther Gooch. 21 John Webster, Mary, Betsey, Juliet, Samuel Holbrook, Elisha Woodbury, [84-89, p. 378], ch. of Samuel, Jr., & Betsey Seabury. 28 Edward, Ann Maria Grace, ch. of Enos & Lucretia Storer.

May 5 David Seabury [728, 1st Ch.], adult; David Cleaves [729, 1st Ch.], adult; Susan [730, 1st Ch.], wf. of Josiah Soule; Daniel Bragdon, Elizabeth, Phebe, ch. of Jeremiah & Nancy Mitchell; William Henry, Olive Drinkwater, Jane, ch. of Charles & Mary Chase; Robert Corliss [70, p. 288], son of David & Lydia Cleaves. 26 Amaziah, ch. of George H. & Elizabeth Robbins,

June 2 Lydia H. Brown [738, 1st Ch.], adult, dau. of John, of Turner; Lucretia B. Mitchell [739, 1st Ch.], dau. of Nathaniel. 9 Olive Rindge, Mary Branscomb, daus. of James & Sarah Hill.

July 21 John Henry, son of John, Jr., & Esther Gooch. 28 Hannah Elizabeth, dau. of Reuben & Christiana Blanchard.

Aug. 4 Edwin, Marilla, Eliza Low, David, Francis Woodbury, Henry Martyn, [174-179, p. 407], ch. of David & Polly Seabury; 7 David Westcott, son of Widow Hannah Videto (presented by Justin & Mrs. Worthley at their house, the child being adop'd by them; the child was sick, and died the following evening; Matilda, Ammi Cushing [255, p. 793], ch. of Sewall & Mary Prince.

Sept. 1 Jane Greely Reed [745, 1st Ch.], adult, dau. of Zebu-

lon. 22 Mary, dau. of Charles & Mary Chase (by Rev. W. R. Bailey)

Oct. 6 Aurilla [123, p. 770]. adult, dau. of Charles Cutter. 20 Mary Shattuck, dau. of Dr. Gad & Mary L. Hitchcock; Alexander Greenwood, James Decatur, sons of James C. & Mary B. Hill; Emeline March, Joseph Alvin, Margaret Noyes, ch of Rufus & Dorcas [696, 1st Ch.] Gooch.

Nov. 10 Dorcas Jane [196, p. 790]. dau. of Sylvanus & Dorcas Blanchard.

Dec. 29 Henry Thornton, son of Asa [677, 1st Ch.] & Phebe Cummings.

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(To be continued.)

REUBEN AND HANNAH GAGE.

[BY MARSHALL N. RICH.]

Zeruiah (Standish) Ring was the second wife of Andrew Gray (see p. 346) who died Nov. 17, 1744. He had by his first wife, (Phebe, p. 347), Mehitable, b. Dec. 15, 1739, who married William Cutter (see No. 7, p. 765.)

Children of Andrew Gray and Zeruiah (Standish) Ring:—

1 Hannah; b. July 10, 1733; m. Jan. 15, 1756 (p. 658), Reuben Gage (p. 914); had ch.: Reuben, (42, p. 766), who m. Jane Cutter (9, p. 765). dau. of William and Mehitable (Gray) Cutter, and had children?: Lucy, m. William Hubbs [Hobbs?], and had: Reuben, Alexander and Mary, bap. Oct. 9, 1791 (p. 941), Lanah (dau.), bap. Sept. 8, 1793 (p. 944), and Daniel Gage, bap. May 29, 1796 (p. 946) [from the entry on p. 941 it seems that she had previously married a Gage and had a son Charles who was baptized Oct. 9, 1791.]

2 William; b. Aug. 7, 1735 [another authority says b. May 17, 1735, d. Feb. 28, 1767, in West Indies]; m. Apr. 26, 1759 (p. 660,) Deborah Loring: had: Elizabeth, who m. Jan. 20, 1785, Amos Main Hayes, of Falmouth. [530, 1st Ch.] (see p. 604), Deborah, b. Oct. 2, 1761, Beuhelor, who m. Dec. 8, 1769?, Sarah Harrington, of Royalstown, and Hannah, who m. Stephen Bennett Bray.

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3 Sarah; b. Sept. 2, 1737; m. Dec. 21, 1784, Josiah Cushman.

4 Ebenezer [Eleazer, p. 913? b. May 7, 1740] bap. June 1, 1740 (p.493.)

5 Deborah; b. July 15, 1742 (p. 913); bap. July 25, 1742 (p. 613.)

6 Thomas.

7 Mary; [91, 1st Ch. d. Dec. 1808, aged 83?]; m. Joseph Johnson.

Gen. Register, Vol. 34, p. 101, R. W. Kenyon. gives: Standish, Ring, Johnson, Seabury. He gives descent as follows: "Myles, son of Capt. Myles, had a daughter Mary [see p. 913, O. T.] who married Johuson. Their daughter, born about 1720, married Judah Chandler. The last four generations were of Yarmouth, Maine."

The History of Beverly, Mass., has a genealogy of the Gage Family.

The Wetmore Genealogy says Zeruiah Standish married, 1745, ——— Johnson, of Halifax, (undoubtedly an error.)

York County Probate Office, Vol. 10, p. 117: Administration granted estate of Reuben Gage, of North Yarmouth, to Hannah Gage, widow, 2 Oct. 1759 [see p. 914.] Vol. 35, p. 96, Hannah Gage sells Edward Chandler one half of a lot in No. Yarmouth. Vol. 13, p. 278, Robert Johnson, of North Yarmouth, to Andrew Ring, mariner, of Kingston, in the County of Plymouth, 12 Sept. 1729.

Cumberland Registry, Vol. 30, p. 536: William Hubbs, and Lucy, my wife, of N. Falmouth, acct. £12 to Elisha Gardner [42½ p. 766], and Jane (Cutter Gage) [(9), p. 766], his wife, administrator of Reuben Gage [42, p. 766, first husband of Jane] all rights which they have claimed in right of said Lucy as heir at law to said Reuben Gage, deceased. Dec. 25, 1793, Vol. 22, p. 5, William Hubbs and Lucy, his wife, sell for £3,6 to Lucien Thoits one half of a hundred acre lot in Freeport, No. 27, Range "B," which fell to us out of the estate of our mother, Hannah Gage, deceased 6 Feb. 1793. Vol. 13, p. 284, heirs to thirteen-fourteenths of the estate of Ebenezer Gray [see p. 346], among others Zeruiah Gray, widow of Andrew. Hannah Gage, widow of Reuben, sells land to Reuben Gage [42, 766] 22 Jan. 1783.

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GENEALOGICAL NOTES.

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ATWELL.—(Continued from p. 985) John Atwell lived on the creek which took his name, on the west side of Royall's River. He married [Margaret?, see p. 985], a daughter of John and Elizabeth Maine, about 1670, and had a son John living at Lynn

in 1730. John Cousins testified in 1682 that Atwell purchased about 60 acres of Richard Bray, on the west side of Royall's River, "twelve years since" [1670], and Henry Donnell and Richard Carter, Jr., concurred. (York Deeds, IV, 37.) Apr. 3, 1685, John Holman testified that John York had "fenced in some of sd John Atwell's land that he bought of the sd Richard Bray," and William Larrabee, Jr., swore to the same May 16 following. (York Deeds, IV, 37.) (CEB:8:582)

DOTEN.—Samuel Doten, wf. Eunice ——— (491, 1st Ch., Sept. 8, 1793; d. Aug. 12, 1806), had: Samuel, James Robbins, both bap. Dec. 12, 1793 (p. 944); Eunice, bap. Feb. 16, 1794 (p. 944); Thaddeus Robbins, bap. Sept. 14, 1796 (p. 946); Ammi Ruhamah, bap. Aug. 12, 1798 (p. 980); Ebenezer Robbins, bap. June 26, 1803 (p. 983.) 8Q

EATON.—1 Ebenezer Eaton (5, 1st Ch., Nov. 18, 1730, from Kingston, Mass., killed by Indians, June 20, 1748, on the Ledge (p. 50, 1st Ch. Cat.; p. 261, O. T.) He bought Lot 98, of Wm. Comer, deed recorded Sept. 4, 1733 (p. 739. His wife was,—

2 Hannah ——— (11, 1st Ch., no date.)

Children: EATON.

3 Mercy; (12, 1st Ch.)

4 Ebenezer; (39, 1st Ch., May 21, 1732, d. July 25, 1765, aged 62); see pp. 5 and 655 where the date of death is 1735.

5 Elisha; (40, 1st Ch., May 21, 1732.)

6 Gideon; (41, 1st Ch., May 21, 1732, d. Oct. 18, 1787, aged 75); int. of m. Mar. —, 1749 with Hannah Bailey (p. 653); m. May 10, 1749, Mary Bailey (p. 658.)

7 Joanna; (69, 1st Ch., Jan. 8, 1738, d. Dec. 28, 1774); m. Elisha French Dec. 29, 1736 (pp. 472, 658, 991.)

Mercy Eaton (60, 1st Ch.) [dan. of Ebenezer, 1?] m. Benjamin Lake (had dau. Mercy Lake b. Feb. 24, 1740 who m. David Pettingill, p. 968), and, 2d, Ebenezer Bishop, Nov. 5, 1747 (pp. 653, 657, 909.)

Rev. Elisha Eaton, pastor, 1753, of the ch. in Harpswell, was from Braintree. He died in 1764, of cancer on the lip, and was succeeded the same year by his son, Rev. Samuel Eaton, who died in 1822, aged 86, unmarried (1st Ch. Cat., p. 61.)

Josiah Eaton, wf. Merriam ———, had ch. Thomas and Jenny, bap. Oct. 9, 1774 (p. 803.) 13

FELT.—1 George Felt, Charlestown, 1633, North Yarmouth, 1640, b. 1600, d. at Malden in 1693 (another authority says in 1688.) In 1640 he lived in a stone garrison at Broad Cove, No. Yarmouth, on land bought of John Phillips, a Welshman, who had probably lived on it before (p. 672), and which in 1643 he

(G. F.) repurchased of Sir Ferdinando Gorges. May 18, 1727, [his heirs, probably], drew Lot 56 (p. 629.) He married,—

2 Elizabeth Wilkinson, dau. of Widow Prudence Wilkinson.

Children :

FELT.

3 Elizabeth; bap Jan. 26, 1640 at 1st Ch., Charlestown; m. 1655, William Larrabee, of North Yarmouth (p. 443.)

4 George; bap. as above; m. Hannah [or Jane?] Andrews; killed by Indians, Sept. 23, 1676, on Mountjoy Island; he bought land of William Hinds, near Tobacco Point, and lived there till driven off by Indians in 1688; also owned land from his father; had sons George, Samuel and Jonathan, who moved to Salem about 1690; his son George (3d) had son John bap. at 1st Ch. in Rowley (now Salem) May 14, 1699, and Samuel had son Joseph bap. at same place July 21, 1701 (see pp. 221, 443, 672, 673, 693, 694, 855.)

5 Mary; bap. as above; m. 1660 James Nichols (p. 443.)

6 Moses; b. Dec. 20, 1641 (p. 443); (also given as b. 1650); living at Chelsea 1733 (p. 672); May 18, 1727, drew Lot 57 (p. 629, 673, 693, 694; p. 48, 1st Ch. Cat.); lived at Broad Cove from 1684 to 1688 (p. 673); he and George Felt, blockmaker, of Salem, grandson of George (1), deed Lot 57 to the Committee of the Town, 1728 (p. 673); he lived in Rumney Marsh in 1733, and deposed that he lived in North Yarmouth from 73 years before the first Indian war (pp. 220, 221, also see pp. 854, 825); had sons Aaron and Joshua; d. at Lynn about 1734, probably 93 years old.

7 Aaron; history unknown; mentioned as having purchased land at Broad Cove (p. 220); there are doubts if this was a son of George (1), perhaps is the son of Moses (6.)

Joseph Felt, a settler in 1723, lived convenient to go to Wm. Scales' garrison (p. 47, 1st Ch. Cat.) He was killed by Indians about 1725, and his wife and children carried into captivity. His daughter Sarah (p. 686) married Peter Weare, father of Joseph the scout (p. 479.) His wife was Sarah ———, (67, 1st Ch., Feb. 26, 1738 (p. 492), who died Jan. 3, 1768. By her petition of Aug. 27, 1727 (p. 435), it appears that her husband was killed about 1722, instead of 1725. Aug. 7, 1733, she, with Peter Weare and wife Sarah (only daughter and heir of Joseph Felt), deed all interest in Lot 49 to the Town Committee (p. 686.) It appears that Joseph Felt took this lot by squatter right, and had built a house on it, and there he was killed (pp. 734, 735, also see p. 998.)

John Felt, a settler in 1723, lived convenient to go to Samuel Bucknam's garrison (1st Ch. Cat., p. 47.)

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STUBBS.—(Continued from p. 499) Richard Stubbs m. 3 May

1659 Margaret Reed. He d. at Hull, 1677, will dated May 22. proven June 21. His son Richard, b. 1660 (or 1670), m. Rebecca ———, and had (N. E. H. & G. Reg., 31, p. 77), among others,

1 Richard Stubbs, b. Jan. [June?] 10, 1692; d. before 1751; m. about 1716,—

2 Jael ———. He m. 2d, Oct. 1, 1748, (pp. 654, 660),—

3 Widow Rhoda (Chandler) Russell (wid. of James Russell, 31, 1st Ch.), (32, 1st Ch., Feb. 27, 1732.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children: STUBBS.

(10) 4 Richard; b. July [Nov.?] 19, 1717; d. July 5, [9?, 1785.

5 Mary; b. July 13, 1718; m. Nathaniel Locke.

(19) 6 Jonathan; bap. July 16, 1732 (p. 491.)

7 Jael; (101, 1st Ch., May 23, 1742); b. Dec. 26, 1724; d. Oct. 9, 1809; m. John Farrow (159, 1st Ch., Dec. 31, 1749, d. May 25, 1803, aged 81 (see Farrow.)

8 Hannah; b. at Hull, Mass., Oct. 21 [23?], 1722; d. Nov. 30, 1797; m. (1st) 1744 Philip Greely (see pp. 42, 396); m. (2d) June 22, 1749, Jonathan Underwood; she was 109, 1st Ch., Sept. 5, 1742.

9 Rebecca; (135, 1st Ch., Dec. 8, 1745?); int. m. Sept. 14, 1751 with Peter Dunbar, of Hingham.

10 Sarah; (126, 1st Ch., Nov. 11, 1744); int. m. Dec. 26, 1742 with Joseph Brown; he d. Nov. 7, 1746.

(4) Richard Stubbs (85, 1st Ch., Oct. 11, 1741), int. m. Oct. 13, 1739 (p. 396), with,—

11 Mercy Brown; (86, 1st Ch., Oct. 11, 1741); d. about 1795?

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children: STUBBS.

12 William; bap. Oct. 11, 1741 (p. 613.)

13 Susannah; bap. Jan. 23, 1743 (p. 614.)

(22) 14 Richard; bap. Oct. 21, 1744 (p. 614.)

(30) 15 Samuel; bap. Apr. 15, 1750 (p. 617.)

16 John; bap. July 18, 1756 (p. 665.)

17 Moses; bap. May 28, 1758 (p. 666); (435, 1st Ch., Nov. 5, 1791. dis. to ch. in Cumb. Oct. 1, 1795.)

18 Mercy; bap. Aug. 3, 1760 (p. 667.)

19 Anna; bap. Nov. 7, 1762 (p. 715.)

(6) Jonathan Stubbs married ———, ———,—

20 ————.

Residence: New Casco.

Children: STUBBS.

21 Huldah; bap. Apr. 11, 1756 (p. 665.)

22 Richard; bap. Apr. 7, 1765 (p. 716.)

- (14) Richard Stubbs married — —, ———,—
23 Abigail ———.

Residence : North Yarmouth.

Children :

STUBBS.

- 24 Zebulon ; bap. May 19, 1782 (p. 861.)
25 Perez ; bap. Oct. 6, 1782 (p. 861.)
26 Richard ; bap. July 11, 1784 (p. 902.)
27 Eunice ; bap. Nov. 12, 1786 (p. 904.)
28 Jacob ; bap. Oct. 19, 1788 (p. 906.)
29 Abigail ; bap. Aug. 8, 1790 (p. 940.)
30 Reuben ; bap. Sept. 28, 1794 (p. 943.)

- (15) Samuel Stubbs married, — —, ———,—
31 ———.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Children :

STUBBS.

- 32 Samuel ; }
33 Charles ; } bap. Sept. 18, 1791 (p. 941.)
34 Mercy ; }
35 William ; }
36 Olive ; bap. Nov. 6, 1791 (p. 941.)

- 1 Benjamin Stubbs (458, 1st Ch., May 13, 1792, dis. to ch. in Cumberland, Nov. 23, 1794), married, — —, ———,—
2 Rebecca Dunbar (316, 1st Ch., dis. as above.)

Children :

STUBBS.

- 3 John ; bap. Aug. 9, 1778 (p. 858.)
4 Hephzibah ; bap. July 18, 1779 (p. 859.)
5 Benjamin ; bap. Nov. 2, 1783 (p. 902.)
6 Charles ; bap. Sept. 23, 1787 (p. 905.)
7 Phebe ; bap. Aug. 8, 1790 (p. 940.)

- 1 Jeremiah Stubbs (382, 1st Ch., July 24, 1791, dis. to ch. in Pownal, Sept. 1, 1817), married, — —, ———,—

- 2 Jane Bradbury True (No. 8, p. 27, bap. Apr. 27, 1760 (p. 667.)

Children :

STUBBS.

- 3 Simeon ; bap. Oct. 15, 1786 (p. 904.)
4 Jeremiah ; " " " " "
5 Susannah ; " " " " "
6 Sarah ; " " " " "
7 Mercy Brown ; }
8 Ann Stevens ; } twins, bap. Apr. 27, 1788 (p. 905.)
9 Bradbury True ; bap. Sept. 19, 1790 (p. 940.)
10 Jenny ; bap. Oct. 7, 1792 (p. 943.)

- 1 Abner Stubbs married, — —, ———,—

- 2 Sarah ———.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Children :

STUBBS.

3 William ;
 4 Reuben ; } bap. Sept. 15, 1782 (p. 861.)
 5 Amy ; }

Huldah Stubbs, of North Yarmouth, int. m. Nov. 26, 1759, with Joseph Pomeroy, of Falmouth (p. 644)

Simeon Stubbs (1067, 1st Ch., Jan. 2, 1848, from ch. in Pownal, d. Mar. 14, 1848; aged 68,) m. Mary H. Hussey, (1068, 1st Ch., as above, dis. to Presb. Ch., St. Johns, N. B., Oct. 15, 1856.)

Daniel Stubbs, (1069, 1st Ch., Jan. 2, 1848, from ch. in Pownal, excom. Nov. 7, 1860), m. Mary H. True (1070, 1st Ch., as above, excom. July 8, 1863.)

Horace Stubbs (1071, 1st Ch., Jan. 2, 1848, from ch. in Pownal, m. Joanna W. Phenix (1072, 1st Ch., as above, both excom. July 21, 1852.)

Susanna Stubbs (815, 1st Ch., Mar. 2, 1831, d. Sept. 23, 1848, aged 67), m. William Gooding.

Sarah M. Stubbs (978, 1st Ch., June 1, 1840, from ch. in Pownal), m. Giles Loring (see p. 935.)

Edward J. Stubbs m. Helen A. Merrill (1378, 1st Ch., June 3, 1877.)

FRANK.—1 Thomas Frank, of Falmouth, (New Casco, 1753) int. m. June 26, 1750, with (2) Ann Babbage (p. 396), m. —, 1750 (p. 658), and had :—

3 James ; bap. June 3, 1753 (p. 663.)

4 Rachel ; bap. Aug. 3, 1755 (p. 664.)

FISHER.—(Continued from p. 304) 1 Samuel Fisher, Jr., (No. 162, 1st Ch., June —, 1750,) b. Nov. 17, 1722. d. Sept. 2, 1786, int. m. Nov. 4, 1749 (p. 653), m. Dec. 14, 1749 (p. 658),—

2 Hannah Blanchard (163, 1st Ch., June —, 1750, d. Mar. 20, 1816, aged 88.)

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children :

FISHER.

3 Samuel ; bap. July 29, 1750 (p. 617.)

(10) 4 Onesiphorus ; b. Dec. 9, 1752 ; bap. Dec. 13 (p. 663.)

5 Rebecca ; b. Mar. 14, 1758 ; bap. May 7 (p. 666) ; m.

Daniel Drinkwater (see No. 63½, p. 390.)

6 Deborah ; bap. June 15, 1760 (p. 667.)

7 Hannah ; bap. Aug. 22, 1762 (p. 714.)

8 Daniel ; bap. Apr. 28, 1765 (p. 716.)

9 Huldah ; bap. Mar. 28, 1768 (p. 748.)

10 Joseph ; bap. Feb. 4, 1770 (p. 750.)

(4) Onesiphorus Fisher (318, 1st Ch., Aug. 12, 1781, dis. to ch. in Cumb. Sept. 11, 1794) married — —, ———, —

11 Ruth Prince, dau. of Paul and Hannah (Cushing) Prince, (319, 1st Ch., Aug. 12, 1781, dis. as above); b. Apr. 12, 1751, d. May 27, 1843 (see No. 107, pp. 729, 762, also p. 162.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children:

FISHER.

12 Rachel; b. 1780; bap. Aug. 26, 1731 (p. 860.); d. unm. 1851.

13 Samuel; b. 1781; bap. Aug. 26, 1781 (p. 860); (751. 1st Ch., July 6, 1823, from ch. in Cumb., dis. Apr. 1835 to 3d Free Ch., New York City; m. (1st) Mary Reed (752, 1st Ch., as above); m. (2d) 1841, Wid. ——— Silva; he d. 1854; res. Brooklyn, N. Y.; a shipmaster.

14 Ruth; b. 1783; bap. June 6, 1784 (p. 902); d. 1809.

15 Onesiphorus; bap. Jan. 11, 1789 (p. 906); d. aged 10.

16 Huldah; bap. July 11, 1790 (p. 940); m. Joseph Hoole.

17 Artemas; bap. Jan. 29, 1792 (p. 942.)

*FELLOWS.—1 Joseph Fellows, of Salisbury, Mass., bought land in North Yarmouth Jan. 18, 1725 (p. 499); deeds land July 21, 1733 (pp. 686-7); d. Oct. 25, 1751; he m. — —, ———, —

2 Mary Mitchell (No. 20, p. 248.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine. (see pp. 50-51 Shepley.)

Children:

FELLOWS.

3 Elinor; b. Oct. 25, 1746; m. Benjamin Bradbury Apr. 23, 1766 (see No. 34, p. 721.)

4 Susanna; b. July 18, 1749; bap. Aug. 6, (p. 617.)

FARROW.—1 John Farrow (159, 1st Ch., Dec. 31, 1744, d. May 25, 1803, aged 81), m. Jan. 20, 1747, (June 21?, p. 658).

2 Jael Stubbs; b. Dec. 26, 1724; d. Oct. 9, 1809 (101, 1st Ch. May 23, 1742); No. 7, p. 1027.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children:

FARROW.

3 Rachel; b. Sept. 11, 1749 (in Fal.); bap. Dec. — (p. 617.)

4 Hannah; b. Oct. 17, 1751; bap. May 17, 1752 (p. 662.)

5 John; bap. Nov. 17, 1754 (p. 661.)

6 Nathan; bap. May 22, 1757 (p. 665.)

7 Huldah? [see p. 667]; bap. Nov. 25, 1759 (p. 667.)

8 Sarah; bap. May 5, 1765 (p. 716.)

Capt. Samuel Farrow, of North Yarmouth, m. Feb. 16?, 1816, Miss Eliza Lock, of Falmouth (p. 283.)

Rhoda Farrow (481, 1st Ch., Oct. 28, 1792, dis. to ch. Cumb. May 1, 1794), m. Eliab Mitchell.

GORDON.—1 Nathaniel Gordon, (Stroudwater, 1786, Portland, 1801, pp. 904, 422) m. —, —, —,

2 Hannah —.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children: GORDON.

3 Deborah; bap. July 16, 1786 (p. 904.)

4 Huldah Fisher; bap. Mar. 15, 1789 (p. 906.)

5 Morgan Swaney; bap. June 2, 1793 (p. 944.)

6 William; bap. Apr. 2, 1797 (p. 980.)

7 Nathaniel; bap. Jan. 12, 1800 (p. 981.)

(To be continued.)

YORK COUNTY RECORDS.

[BY WILLIAM M. SARGENT.]

At a Court at Casco, 26 July 1666, this Court granteth Letters of Administration to these persons following: "To James Mossier being eldest sunn to the estate of his father Hugh Mossier deceased. James Mossier, James Lane & John Mossier do enter into a bond of £170 that the s^d James Mossier shall make a true inventory of the s^d estate unto the next sessions houlden for this division of the province to bee disposed of according to law." Letters of administration granted to James Mossier.

At a Court at Casco, 13 Nov. 1666, "In answeare to a Complaynt made by John Cossons, Constable of Westquotoqua, to this Court against Ellener Redding, touching her abusing of Ann Lane, w^{ch} Complaynt upon examination this Court finding not to come within y^r proper Cogniscence, as not being presented to them within one yeare & a day: Do thence determine to give the s^d Ellner Redding an Admonition & shee paying the officers' fees, five shillings, is discharged."

At a Court at Casco, 1 Oct. 1667, "M^r William Ryall chozen Clarke of y^e writts for Usquastunqua & sworn in Court."

At a Court 25 Apr. 1670, "Walter Gyndall was secured under an officers' hand for refusing to take the oath of fidelity, w^{ch} oath afterwards hee tooke in Court."

John Wallis and Thomas Cossons among those who took the oath of fidelity at Wells, 7 July 1670.

NORTH YARMOUTH LIGHT INFANTRY.

[BY DR. JOHN F. PRATT.]

To the Honorable Senate and the Honorable House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled :

The Petition and representation of the subscribers, inhabitants of the Town of North Yarmouth and soldiers in the several military companies in said town, humbly shews, that your petitioners, deeply impressed with military ardor, and anxiously desirous of appearing in the most respectable manner as soldiers, and firmly believing that it will conduce much to the interest and welfare of the Militia in this town, request your Honors to pass a Resolve authorizing the Governor of this Commonwealth to cause that a company of Light Infantry, to be called "The NORTH YARMOUTH LIGHT INFANTRY," be raised from the several companies in this town, provided that no one company shall be thereby reduced below the number requisite for military companies. Your petitioners state to your Honours that there are in this town three companies all of which are much larger than is required by law, they conceive that no one of the companies can be injured by granting the prayer of this petition, they therefore humbly pray that they may have liberty and be formed into a Company, as above requested, and be annexed to the Second Regiment, Second Brigade and Sixth Division of the Militia of this Commonwealth, and as in duty bound will ever pray.

North Yarmouth, Dec. 26, 1804.

Alford Richardson.
Edward Russell.
John Cutter.
Nathan Oakes.
Asa Worthley.
John Hale.
Hiram Hatch.
Amasa Baker.
John Merrill.
Richmond Loring, 3d.
Joseph Woods.
Samuel Warren.
Reuben Byram.
Solomon Winslow
John Seabury.

Justin Worthley.
Benjamin Pratt.
Charles C. Mitchell.
Elias Jacobs.
Winborn A. Snell.
Nathan B. Smith.
Stephen Greenleaf.
Joseph Thomas.
Bradbury True.
John Gooding.
Benjamin Mitchell.
Isaac H. Bailey.
Amos Storer.
Nathaniel Foster.
John Fassett.

Samuel Fisher.
Francis Greely.
William Parsons.
William Gooding.
Daniel Mitchell.
James Currier.
Samuel Seabury, Jr.

Asa Humphrey.
Simeon Stubbs.
Reuben Humphrey.
John Nelson.
Charles Thomas, Colonel.
John Lawrance, Major.
Thomas Means, Major.

New Gloucester, 12 January 1805.

This may certify that the foregoing petitioners are soldiers in the 2d Regiment, 2d Brigade & 6th Division of the Militia of this Commonwealth. That said Regiment consists of 846 rank and file. That the three standing companies of foot in the town of North Yarmouth, to which the petitioners belong, contains 258 rank & file agreeable to the last annual return, & that there is but one company of Light Infantry already formed in said Regt.—in the town of Brunswick. That I approve of their measures to obtain the establishment of a Light Infantry Company in North Yarmouth, & recommend that the prayer of their petition be granted should it meet the approval of the Honorable Legislature. [See p. 11, O. T.]

NATHANIEL C. ALLEN, Brig.-Gen.

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THE LORING HOUSE.

[BY DR. N. T. TRUE.]

Notice of the large, yellow, hip-roofed house formerly occupied by Capt. Richmond Loring fifty years ago, on page 951, recalls some matters that may have a personal interest connected with that castle. As I have passed my three score years and ten, I may be allowed to indulge in personalities pertaining to the history of North Yarmouth Corner at that time.

It will be fifty years next autumn since Asa Hutchins, of Pownal, Elkanah Walker, of North Yarmouth, Robert H. Wyman, Newell A. Prince and his brother William R. Prince [240-241, p. 792], and Edward P. Weston, all of Cumberland, and myself, hired rooms in the old house and boarded ourselves, for the purpose of attending the Academy, then under the care of Rev. Samuel H. Shepley. They were large, old-fashioned square rooms.

With the exception of Walker, we were all studying the ancient languages. Our bill of fare was somewhat frugal. Potatoes roasted in the ashes, supplemented by stripped salt fish and a little butter, with brown or white bread and a dish of water, constituted

many a well-relished supper. Walker was a tall fellow, lank and hungry, and sometimes his larder gave out before the close of the week. Indian hasty-pudding and molasses formed another favorite meal. Occasionally something additional was brought from home to vary our bill of fare, but cold hasty-pudding and molasses alone often constituted our whole meal. We cooked food when compelled to do so from sheer hunger, and washed the dishes from pure necessity, the safe rule being to do it when we could not well decide what was in them last.

Our floors were usually washed once a term, and, somehow, in spite of this, they would look dingy. It was sometimes a matter of concern to bring from the store a salt fish, or similar article, without being observed by the citizens. It was my privilege on one occasion, as I was looking out of the window, and saw Walker, who was rather proud-spirited, coming up the street with a bag of hard-bread illy-concealed by his camlet cloak, to shout "*Judas!*" He never quite forgot the incident.

In spite of our meagre fare we studied hard, not retiring usually before midnight, and rising early in the morning. Sometimes we would study an hour, perfectly quiet, when Hutchins would suddenly utter a peculiar squeal, in which all joined in a different key and note, making a most hideous chorus. This lasted about half a minute, when all was still and studies perused as though nothing unusual had happened.

We had few books outside of our text-books. We, however, had a copy of Beza's Latin Bible from the Academy library, and once the property of Rev. Tristram Gilman. This constituted our light reading. Weekly declamations made our rooms resonant with our juvenile eloquence. Some knotty question in theology was often discussed and settled between us, for it would have been out of place to be without some knowledge of the theological affairs of that day.

Wyman was a stern Puritan, and after graduation went as a missionary to Ceylon, and on his return voyage died and was buried in mid-ocean. Hutchins was a logician of the Socratic order; he graduated in medicine, and after many years of very successful practice died in Connecticut. Walker was the very embodiment of good-nature; he graduated at the Bangor Theological Seminary, and went to Oregon as a missionary, where he died. Weston graduated at Bowdoin College; he became a poet and teacher, and died in Illinois. The younger Prince graduated at Bowdoin, became a promising clergyman, but died quite young. Newell A. Prince is, I believe, still living, but I know nothing of his history.

We had a huge fireplace, in which ashes accumulated in large quantities. Our wood-pile was exposed to the public view, and Wyman insisted that it "swizzled up o' nights." We had one

capital rule, that the one who first turned out of bed should build the fire, and the last one up should make the beds, but as they were of straw they required very little attention,

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NORTH YARMOUTH NECROLOGY,

1730 to 1750.

[BY DR. CHARLES E. BANKS.]

In the subjoined list of deaths I have attempted to construct a necrology of the inhabitants of the town of North Yarmouth, Me., for the twenty years between 1730 and 1750. The town records furnish most of the material, but I have occasionally gathered an item from the chiseled marble of the graveyard. Of course this list is exceedingly incomplete, as the negligent clerks of the early settlers have failed to record the events of their own times properly. To show how much disparity is possible between recorded and actual deaths we need only to read the statement of that accurate and minute chronicler, Parson Smith, of Falmouth. He states that seventy-five persons died of "distemper" previous to May 1, 1737, but only one death is noted that year previous to his memorandum! The family genealogist of the old town, who is at a loss to know what has become of many of his stray sheep, can look over this list and conclude that they must have died of "canker ail" or "distemper," and failed of recorded immortality. It will be plain in many instances, by referring to the annotations, to know why some of our unblown ancestral buds dropped off so unceremoniously.

1730-1731, no deaths recorded.

1732.

5 Feb. Capt. James Parker.

1733.

27 Dec. Sarah, dau. of Samuel & Susanna Baker.

1734.

28 Apr. Elizabeth, dau. of David & Abigail Seabury

5 June Susanna, dau. of Abner & Mary Brown.

21 Dec. Deacon Jacob Mitchell.

1735.

24 Jan. Archelaus, son of Jacob & Mary Brown.

25 July Eleazer Eaton.

4 Oct. Josiah, son of Samuel & Susanna Baker.

1736.

30 Jan. Richard Webber.

5 Feb. Mary Potter, dau. of Stephen & Margaret Larrabee.

28 Apr. John, son of John & Patience Hammond.

24 Oct. Elsie, dau. of Noah & Hannah Mitchell.

16 Dec. Esther, dau. of Barnabas & Mercy Winslow.

1737.

[NOTE: Under date of May 1st. Parson Thos. Smith writes in his Journal, "The distemper is now bad at North Yarmouth. In all seventy-five have died of it in the whole town."]

28 Apr. Sarah Chandler.

12 July Simeon, son of Jacob & Mary Brown.

15 July Daniel, son of Jacob & Mary Brown.

29 July Miriam, dau. of Jacob & Mary Brown.

30 July Mary, dau. of Jacob & Mary Brown.

12 Sept. Mrs. Huldah (Weare) Mitchell.

24 Sept. Peter, son of Peter & Sarah Weare.

24 Sept. Daniel, son of Peter & Sarah Weare.

8 Oct. Content, dau. of Peter & Sarah Weare.

20 Oct. Stephen Larrabee.

[NOTE: Under date of Nov. 26th Parson Smith writes, "The pleurisy fever prevails, and has proved mortal to several at North Yarmouth." And under date of Dec. 1st he notes, "We have melancholy accounts of the sickness at North Yarmouth."]

18 Nov. Stephen, son of Stephen & Margaret Larrabee.

1 Dec. Mrs. Margaret (Larrabee) Welch.

1738.

[NOTE: Under date of June 27th Parson Smith writes, "The canker distemper is at North Yarmouth."]

23 Apr. Hannah, dau. of Barnabas & Abigail Seabury.

28 Apr. Samuel, son of Barnabas & Abigail Seabury.

4 May Mary, dau. of Barnabas & Abigail Seabury.

3 June Benjamin, son of Gilbert & Patience Winslow.

8 June Stephen, son of Barnabas & Mercy Winslow.

17 June Benjamin, son of Gilbert & Patience Winslow.

20 June Mary, dau. of Benoni & Mary Fogg.

2 July Jeremiah, son of Benoni & Mary Fogg.

20 July Hannah, dau. of Benoni & Mary Fogg.

27 Sept. Mrs. Abigail Seabury.

1739.

13 Nov. William, son of Benjamin & Mary Ingersoll.

1740.

29 Feb. Sarah, dau. of Samuel & Susanna Baker.

1741.

27 Apr. Abner, son of Abner & Mary Brown.

7 July Issachar Winslow.

1742.

17 Apr. John, son of Solomon & Mary Mitchell.

1743.

29 Jan. Samuel, son of Ebenezer & Anna Clough.

1 Apr. Hannah, dau. of Elisha & Joanna Eaton.

19 Apr. Peter Weare.

1744.

17 Apr. Susanna, dau. of Samuel & Susanna Baker.

17 Nov. Andrew Ring.

21 Dec. Deacon Jacob Mitchell.

[NOTE: Under date of Dec. 26th Parson Smith writes, "It has been a sickly and dying time there (North Yarmouth) with the slow fever."]

1745.

6 Mar. Sylvanus, son of Deacon John & Rachel White.

1746.

18 Apr. Lydia, dau. of Seth & Deborah Mitchell.

16 June Miriam, dau. of Jacob & Lydia Brown.

9 Aug. Philip Greely [killed by Indians.]

22 Aug. Jacob, son of Ebenezer & Anna Clough.

7 Nov. Joseph Brown.

1747.

27 Sept. William, son of Solomon & Mary Mitchell.

1 Nov. Deacon John White.

1748.

10 May Enos, son of Moses & Abigail Bradbury.

— June Ebenezer Eaton [killed by Indians.]

18 Oct. Rachel, dau. of Amos & Hannah Harris.

23 Oct. James, son of Deacon John & Rachel White.

30 Oct. Thomas, son of Deacon John & Rachel White.

7 Nov. Rachel, dau. of Solomon & Elsie Loring.

7 Nov. Hannah, dau. of Solomon & Elsie Loring.

[NOTE: Under date of Nov. 9th Parson Smith writes, "Nine children have lately died at North Yarmouth of the canker ail."]

15 Nov. John Foss.

1749.

5 Nov. John, son of Daniel & Lydia Paul.

Additions to this necrology may be contributed to the Editor. It is believed that this will be an interesting and valuable plan of collating events of the town's history. By a comparison of contemporary events, such as births, marriages, baptisms, purchases of property, removals and internal improvements, the natural growth of the settlement appears in detail. The joy of the new-born child, the delights of a wedding, and the poignancy of death

proceed in their chronological sequence, and only by that means can we see the daily life of the settlers as they saw it.

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PROPRIETORS' RECORDS,
NORTH YARMOUTH. MAINE.

(Continued from page 1001.)

Aug. 24, 1733, 267 acres were surveyed and laid out to Henry Woolf, of North Yarmouth, on the neck of land formerly called Shepherd's Point, but then known as Harrisicket Neck. Bounds were from a heap of stones on the southeast side of the neck, set up by the Committee for Resettlement, opposite the end of a small island called Woolf's Island, thence northwest across the neck to Harrisicket Bay, thence southwesterly by the bay and around the point and up the southeast side of the neck to the place first mentioned. Edward King, Surveyor. Confirmed to the heirs of Mr. Thomas Shepherd, "ye antient owner," by order of the Town Committee, John Smith, Clerk.

Edward King, Jacob Mitchell, Samuel Fisher and Jas. Parker, by order of the Town Committee, lay out 200 acres next to Falmouth line, for a School Lot. Recorded on p. 150.

The Town Committee, Wm. Dudley, John Smith and John Powell, Aug. 9, 1733, confirm the action of the Proprietors in granting to Samuel Seabury and Jacob Mitchell the falls and 10 acres adjoining on the west bank of the river, and Lot 52, 120 acres, west side, so long as they maintain and keep in good repair a Grist Mill.

Then follows the bounds of the 100 Acre Division, lying between Falmouth line and the 120 Acre Division. The corner was at the "white rock," the dividing line between the towns.

Then follows the bounds of the 120 Acre Division, east side of the river. The corner was at a stake two miles and forty rods northeast of the lower falls.

Then follows the bounds of the 120 Acre Division, southwest side of the river. The corner was at a stake two miles southwest of the lower falls.

Aug. 3, 1733, an additional piece of land was laid out to John Dabney, of Boston, on his Lot 45. Also ten acres to the heirs of John Royal, Lot 105, Feb. 2, 1734. Also to the heirs of Thos. Maines, once a Proprietor and inhabitant, killed by the Indians, Lot 106, Feb. 2, 1734.

Jan. 20, 1733, on a vote of the Proprietors, Little Chebaskadegan Island was granted to William Tailer and Elisha Cook; to William Dudley, Little Damaris Cove Island; to William Dudley, John Smith, John Powell and Timothy Prout, Birch Island, Bussian Island, Hope Island and Goose Island adjoining, and some land on the main land. This was for service on the Committee.

Then follows the bounds of the 100 Acre Division, northeast side of the river, in the northeast part of the township, containing 206 Lots.

The Committee appointed by the General Court, for the Resettlement of N. Yarmouth, state in their report as follows: That in 1726, having obtained all available information of the first settlers and their descendants, admitted seventy-four new ones, which in addition to the old settlers made up one hundred and three, which did not include grants to persons not obliged to settle, each one to have 10 acres, except Lot 47 being 60 acres granted in the first settlement, all the lots to be laid out on "Yarmouth Neck." The 74 new settlers drew lots; the 29 old ones or their heirs took their old lots as far as possible. With the 10 acre lots there were three other divisions, as follows: one on both sides of Royal's River, 103 lots of 120 acres each; 309 lots of 100 acres each, three for each Proprietor; and to each home lot 4 acres of salt marsh or an equivalent in upland. Then follows a list of the Proprietors who have fulfilled the conditions of the grants. This list is the same as that given on pp. 628 and 629, with these exceptions:

No. 60, Richard Flagg, appears in the list of those who have and those who have not kept the terms of the grants. No. 63, Thomas Stearnes, and No. 69, Hugh Blinning, have their numbers transposed, and Blinning appears among the good settlers and Stearnes among the delinquents. Nos. 18, 32, 76, 77 and 78 are reported as "in some measure deficient" and are fined £4 each. Being greater offenders still, Nos. 4, 21, 23, 28, 36, 37, 47, 54, 55, 60, 61, 62, 69, 80, 88 and 89 are fined £8 each. The Nos. 38, 99, 100 and 101 are fined £15 each, while No. 97 is to pay £30 and No. 35 is called upon for £40. The late Capt. Jas. Parker having built a "handsome house" on Lots 24 and 25, that were originally granted to him and John Smith, his heirs are to have full rights by paying his account for taxes, &c, £153,5,3.

A Town Landing was declared on the back side of Parker's house, and another on the other side of the Point, near where the spring is. In lieu of School Lot No. 75 a School Farm of 200 acres was laid out. £30 allowed John Dabney for short measure in old Lot 45. Whereas Samuel White, deceased, before the resettlement owned Lot 71, 60 acres, formerly Richard Bray's, and agreed with the Committee to give up 50 acres to be laid out into Home Lots, but failed to execute the deed; it is agreed that the heirs shall have full rights in the town by completing the deed.

The heirs and assigns of Thomas Stevens claim Royal's River and the land four miles wide on both sides of it and forty miles long up to the head of every branch, on a purchase made in 1673 of Robin Hood and other Kennebeck Indians, which claim is not allowed by the Committee.

Other claims allowed, derived from Gorges, was one of 300 acres to John Royal, one to Walter Gendall who lived and was slain there, and one adjoining to George Felt, each 300 acres, and Upper Clapbord Island, to which the Committee have added 250 acres in rear for the heirs of Gendall and Felt for 100 acres next the sea, for Home Lots. Also was allowed the claim of the heirs of Richard Dummer for 900 acres at Flying Point and Tobacco Point. Also a neck formerly called Shepherd's Neck, where there were three houses built and orchards planted in the ancient settlements, to the heirs of Thomas Shepherd, also 4 acres of marsh on the east side of Harrisicket River, originally granted in 1686 to John Shepherd. Also to Ann Stevens the 4 acres of marsh granted to Amos Stevens the same year.

The Committee have also confirmed the grant of 200 acres by Thomas Gorges to Arnold Allen, the first grantee, which is now possessed by Offan Boardman or his tenants. Also to the heirs of Thomas Redding his farm of 216 acres. Also to the heirs of John Royal a 10 acre lot near the Ledge, they paying £30 in lieu of other dues. Also to the heirs of Thomas Maine, who was slain by the Indians, 25 acres near the meeting-house. Also to John Powell an island, called Basket Island, containing 5 acres. The above report accepted in Council, March 1, 1733.

In the General Court, June 22, 1734, voted, that the land included in the following lines be annexed to North Yarmouth on a petition: Beginning at the northwest corner of the town, thence in a northeast course till the northeasterly bounds extended northwest intersect the same, making the bounds square. Recorded 3 July 1735, Ammi Ruhamah Cutter, Proprietors' Clerk.

At a Proprietors' meeting, July 17, 1734, at the church, voted, to adjourn to Aug. 22, when Rev. Ammi R. Cutter was selected as Proprietors' Clerk and sworn before Samuel Seabury, Justice of the Peace. Stephen Larrabee, Cornelius Soule and Edward King appointed a Committee to prevent trespassing on the Common Lands. Adjourned to Aug. 23, when Jacob Mitchell, Joseph Chandler, Samuel Fisher, Andrew Ring and James Tuttle were appointed a Committee to treat with persons claiming undivided lands, and especially with the heirs of John Cousins who claim a tract of land and marsh in the crotch of Cousins' River, and also Cousins' and Littlejohn's Islands.

At this same meeting, George Monk, Jacob Mitchell and Gilbert Winslow were appointed a Committee to finish the meeting-house, as follows: "To lay the floors below, set up the body of

seats, case the windows & cieles the walls up to the lower interties : to face the galleries, lay the floors in them, set up two seats apiece in the side galleries, & three seats in the front gallery, and make two pairs of framed stairs up into the galleries, to clapboard the house all round, put up corner boards and bottom boards, to finish the jutts, make spouts & trunks to them, make three doors with shells over them, & window frames with sash casements : to finish shingling the house & put up weatherboards ; to raise & finish a steeple conformable to the dimensions of the house ; to glaze the house with good sash glass ; to lath & plaister the walls of the house all round & the floors under the galleries."

Also voted a tax of £3 be raised on each Lot, for finishing the meeting-house, and Rowland Houghton and Cornelius Soule were appointed to collect it. Samuel Seabury, Samuel Fisher and Francis Wyman were appointed a Committee to call meetings of the Proprietors upon application of five members.

A List of the Proprietors of the Common & Undivided Lands in North Yarmouth, who are to pay their taxes to Rowland Houghton. [£3 on each lot, for finishing the meeting-house.]

No. 2, John Holman's assigns ; 3, Samuel Smith ; 73, John Smith, Jr. ; or [the three lots] John and Thomas Hill. 4, Thos. Daggett's heirs. 5, Thomas Crafts or James Pitson. 6, George Monk. 7, Ephraim Crafts or Monk & Gray. 8, Barnabas Hatch or Isaac Little. 12, Samuel York. 14, Jeremiah Moulton ; 15, William Dudley ; or Rowland Houghton. 17, Richard Bray's assigns ; 71, Samuel White's heirs ; 38, Roger Edwards' assigns ; or Benjamin Edwards.

No. 63, Thomas Stearns or Job Lewis. 64, Job Lewis. 34 Henry Coombs' assigns or Davis. 23, John Main's assigns ; 66, Abiah Wadsworth ; 67 & 68, John Smith ; 103, Walter Gendall's assigns ; or John Smith. 45, Old John Harris ; 47, Thos. Blashfield's assigns ; or John Dabney.

No. 48, Cornelius Soule ; 49, John Powell ; 50, Henry Deering ; 51, Joseph Maylem ; 53, Daniel Watts ; 70, John Powell ; or John Powell. 54, Ephraim Fenno, or John Powell, or Edward King, or Cornelius Soule. 55, Edward Shove & Barnabas Winslow. 74, John Buttolph. 80, Jonas Rice.

No. 84, Nathaniel Brewer's heirs & Jedediah Southworth. 85, William Tailer's heirs & John Ross. 90, John Atwell's assigns. or Stowers Sprague. 93, Byfield Lyde & Jacob Mitchell. 95, Samuel Brown's heirs & Elisha French. John York's heirs, or William Young of Cape Ann.

No. 102, Middlecott Cooke & David Seabury. 105, John Royal's assigns, or Jacob Royal. 106, Thomas Main's assigns, or John Smith.

AMMI RUHAMAH CUTTER, Prop's Clerk.

A list of the Proprietors of the Common & Undivided Lands in

North Yarmouth, who are to pay their taxes, (as above), to Cornelius Soule.

No, 1, Benjamin Prince. 9, Robert Johnson, or Andrew Ring. 10, William Bond, or Robert Davy. 11, Francis Wyman. 13, Phineas Jones, or James Parker's heirs. 16, Benjamin Flagg, or Andrew Ring. 18, Gilbert Winslow. 19, Samuel Fisher. 20, Jonathan Watson, or Robert Johnson. 21, John Battens' assigns or Samuel Seabury. 22, John Smith, or Samuel Seabury. 24, John Smith, or James Parker's heirs. 25, James Parker's heirs, or Seth Mitchell.

No. 26, Amos Stevens' assigns, or John Smith. 27, Peter Blackman & Jonas Mason. 28, John Stearnes, or Edward King. 29, Isaac Larrabee, or Samuel Seabury & Abraham Creighton. 30, William Larrabee, or James Tuttle. 31, Stephen Larrabee. 32, Thomas Larrabee, or John True.

No. 33, Samuel Larrabee, or Edward King. 35, John Provender. 36, William Ashfell, or ——— Goodwin. 37, Benjamin Larrabee, or Samuel Proctor. 40, Joseph Harris, or Amos Harris. 42, Tobias Oakman, or Samuel Baker. 43, Gershom Rice, or John Sweetser. 44, Joseph Harris, or Amos Harris. 46, Thos. Southworth, or Jedediah Southworth. 52, Samuel Baker. or Ammi Ruhamah Cutter. 56, George Felt's assigns & Cornelius Soule. 57, Moses Felt & John Powell. 58, Robert Standford, or John Powell. 59, William Scales' heirs.

No. 60, Richard Flagg, or Cornelius Soule. 61, Thos. Smith, Jr., or Cornelius Soule. 62, Seth Mitchell, or Joshua Bangs. 65, Jedediah Southworth, or Ephraim Sturdivant & Thos. Loring. 69, Hugh Blinning, or Joseph Drinkwater. 72, Joseph Bartlett, or Samuel Totman & Joshua Soule. 76, Margery Stevens, or Joseph Calef. 77, Joseph Mitchell, or Isaac Pope.

No. 78, James McFaden, or Barnabas Seabury. 79, Barnabas Seabury. 81, Joseph Chandler. 82, Perez Bradford, or Zachariah Chandler. 83, Isaac Little, or ——— Cushing. 86, Barnabas Winslow. 87, John Smith, or James Russell. 88, David Seabury, or Jacob Mitchell, Jr. 89, Thomas Fisher, or Stephen Larrabee. 91, Jacob Mitchell. 92, Peter Walton, or Jacob Brown. 94, John Alden, or Abraham Pettingill.

No. 96, Samuel Seabury & Abner Brown. 98, Wm. Coomer, or Ebenezer Eaton. 99, Bartholemew Flagg, or Jacob True. 100, James Buxton, or Jacob Mitchell, 101, James Pitson, or Joseph Calef. 104, Sampson Salter, or Andrew Gray.

AMMI RUHAMAH CUTTER, Prop's Clerk.
(To be continued.)

PATRIOTIC.—Dec. 4, 1774, North Yarmouth gave forty-three cords of wood to the people of Boston suffering under the operation of the Boston Port Bill.

M E M O R A N D A.

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NICHOLS.—James Niccals, the settler (p. 47, 1st Ch. Cat.), was the son of James and Mary (Felt) Nichols, who married at Charlestown, Mass., Apr. —, 1660, where this son was born Dec. —, 1662. This Mary Felt was the third child of George Felt, Senior, and his wife Elizabeth Wilkinson, and was baptized at Charlestown 19 Jan. 1640. James Nichols, Senior, Felt's son-in-law, was of Malden in 1691, when he petitioned that George Felt, Senior, might be taken in (G. F. was received, and died there in 1693.) James Nichols, Junior, died at Malden 22 Mar. 1726.

WHARTON.—Richard Wharton died in London, Eng., in May, 1689, leaving a widow, an elder son William and five daughters by his two wives. One of his daughters married ——— Cotta, of Boston; the others remained unmarried. Wr. Wharton held a large estate in Boston, and was highly esteemed. He was a son of Lord Wharton. He died insolvent.

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PHILLIPS.—John Phillips, the Welshman, who had previously owned land at Broad Cove, which he sold before 1643 to George Felt, was a millwright. He bought land on the Presumpscot River and erected the first mills ever built in Falmouth, and lived there till driven away by the Indian war, when he removed to Kittery, where he died without issue. He was born in 1607, and was living in 1684.

REDDING.—John Redding, (in a deposition dated 1683), aged about thirty years, maketh oath that, ever since he can remember, Mr. Purchas lived at Pejepscot, and he had heard his father say that for many years he lived upon Mare Point by sufferance of Mr. Purchas, whom he served in sundry employments.

This John Redding must have been a son of Thomas Redding, an early settler of North Yarmouth.

POWELL.—Jeremiah Powell represented North Yarmouth eleven years in the General Court: was twelve years a member of the Provincial Council; and was elected the first President of the Senate of Massachusetts under the new Constitution. He was nineteen years Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, from 1763 to 1781. He died in the night of Sept. 17–18, 1784.

—JEWELL'S ISLAND.—Took its name from a large quantity of pyrites found upon it.

MARTIN.—William Martin's funeral took place June 18, 1814. He came from England in 1783 and settled in North Yarmouth in trade. He was naturalized in 1787, and in 1790 was a candidate for Congress in opposition to George Thacher and others. He moved to Portland in 1804. His daughters had an accomplished education, particularly Penelope who remained in England till 1790 to complete hers, and who for many years kept a high school for young ladies, both here and at North Yarmouth, which attracted many from abroad, and where a thorough education was imparted. Two of the children were living in 1849, at an advanced age. Samuel died in 1848, Eliza some years ago, and William Feb. 14, 1849, aged 86. The mother, a superior woman, died in 1828, aged 90.

PORTLAND OFFICERS.—Natives or residents of N. Yarmouth who have held office in Portland. Selectmen: William Scales; Matthew Scales, 2 years; Benjamin Larrabee; Samuel Bucknam; Benjamin Ingersoll, 3 years; James Buxton; Phineas Jones. Mavors: Levi Cutter, 1834 to 1840; Eliphalet Greely, 1843 to 1848. Town Treasurers: Benjamin Ingersoll, 1728-9. Representatives to General Court: William Scales, 1719; Phineas Jones, 1738-9.

Judges of Court of Common Pleas: Jeremiah Powell, 1763 to 1781; Jonas Mason, 1773 to 1777; David Mitchell, 1778 to 1786; John Lewis, 1782 to 1803.

STOCKBRIDGE.—I. P. Dabney writes, June 14, 1841, that Joseph Stockbridge, who was graduated from Harvard College in 1755, was the first Register of Probate for Cumberland County, and lived at North Yarmouth (or Falmouth?) He was dead in 1761.

MOSIER-WISE.—Sept. 29, 1640, George Cleeves and Richard Tucker sell to Hugh Mosier and Thomas Wise 200 acres of land running from the end of Tukey's Bridge in the present town of Deering over to and adjoining Martin's, the proprietor for whom Martin's Point was named (see p. 219.)

At a Court at Saco, 1640. John Winter, of Richmond's Island, was presented on the oath of Thomas Wise, of Casco, that he had paid Winter "a noble for a gallon of aqua vitæ" Wise moved to North Yarmouth in 1658.

Wise and Mosier continued a few years on the above tract of land. Mosier left it first, and went further down the Bay, where he died, leaving two sons, James and John. James administered upon the estate in 1666. The two brothers occupied two islands, now in Freeport, called Great and Little Mosier's, but since, by corruption, known as "Moges." Hugh Mosier is conjectured to

be the first of the name who came to this country, and ancestor of all of the name in Maine. They subsequently settled in Gorham. Daniel Mosier, the second settler in Gorham, went there from Falmouth in 1738. He was a son of James who died in 1834, aged 99 years and 3 months, a descendant of Hugh of French origin. Another authority says James died in 1734, aged as above, which would make his birth in 1635. Daniel Mosier and wife Jane had child Hannah born at Falmouth Sept. 17, 1733.

Wise was an early inhabitant of Saco, whence he removed to Falmouth and thence to North Yarmouth in 1658, selling his land to Nathaniel Wallis.

WHITE.—Nicholas White who lived in Falmouth as early as 1658, was living at North Yarmouth in 1667, when he sold his property in Cape Elizabeth to John Wallis. He had a brother Josiah, who was dead in 1686. John Lane testifies that Nicholas was killed by the Indians at Purpooduck (probably in 1703.) He left two daughters, Mary and Dorcas, married to Nathaniel and John Danford, of Newbury.

REDDING.—Thomas Redding was a freeman in Saco in 1653, but does not appear after that date. Doubtless this is the early settler in North Yarmouth.

OLD EPITAPHS.—The Journal of a long-since departed citizen of North Yarmouth contains the following epitaphs, probably taken from the gravestones in the Old Burying-Ground; though none can now be found that bear either the names or the poetry, "The tooth of Time" has gnawed away the stone, but the Journal has preserved them.

MRS. BASSETT'S.

"How strange, my God, who reigns on high!
That I should come so far to die,
And leave my friends where I was bred,
To lay my bones with strangers' dead."

NATHANIEL TRUE'S, 1789.

"My loving friends, as you pass by,
On my cold grave pray cast an eye;
Your sun, like mine, may set at noon,
Your soul be called for very soon;
In this dark place you'll quickly be,
Prepare for death and follow me."

MR. ROSS' EPITAPH, 1789.

"Beneath these clods of silent dust
I sleep, where all the living must;

The gayest youth and fairest face
In time, will be in this dark place."

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RUSSELL.—The "Aunt Hannah Russell" house, one of the oldest in town, occupied since 1854 by Peter L. Allen, was taken down in the spring of 1881 to give place to one of modern style, which was erected the same season.

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B. D. A.

OLD LETTER.—Addressed to Mr. George Monk, merchant in Boston.

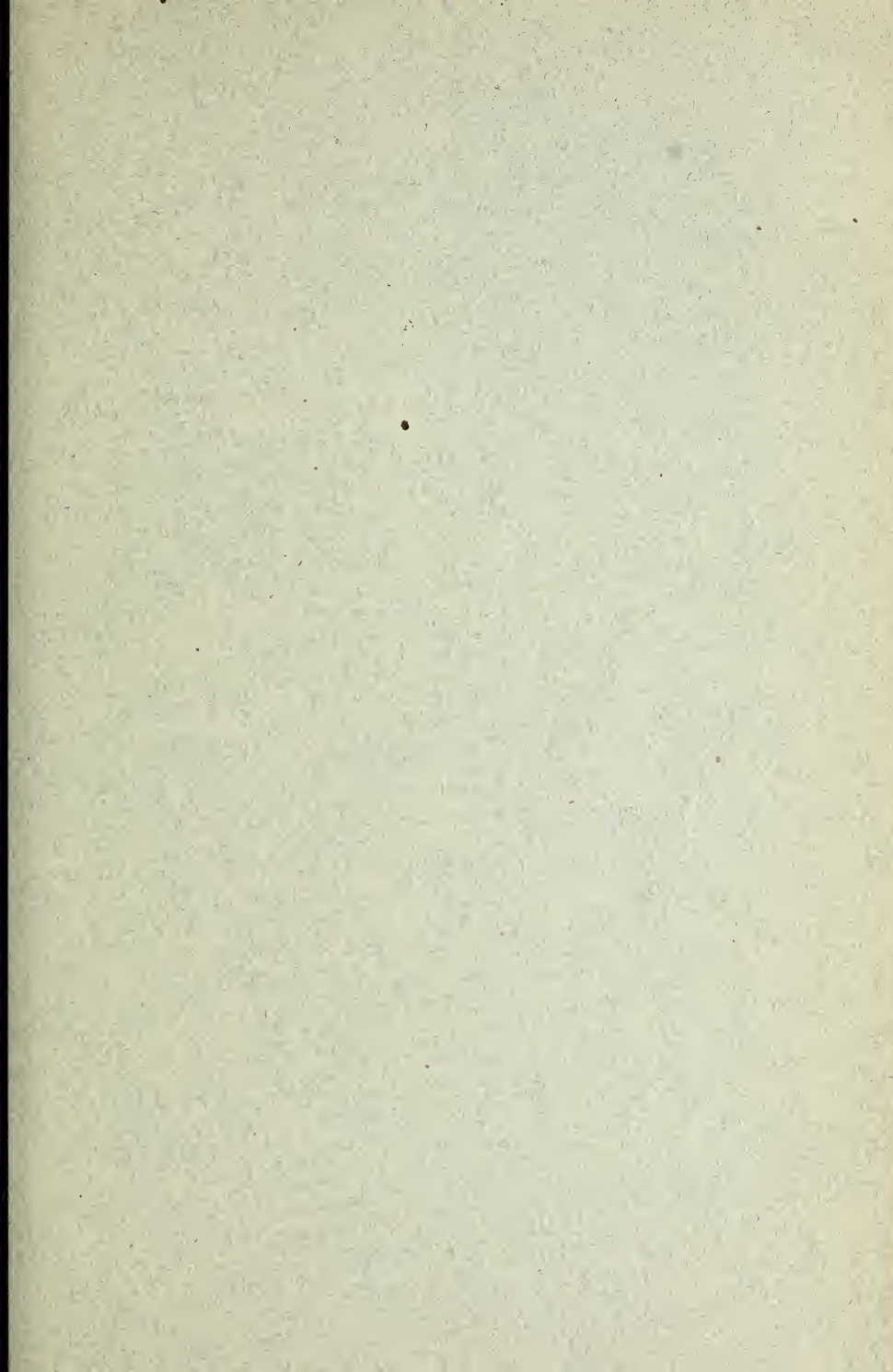
North Yarm'th, Aug. 12th, 1735.

"MR. MONK—Sir: This comes by my good friend and Neighbor Mr. Robert Dobney, who will inform you at Large of his good suckcess, which I am hartly glad of, and I doubt not but you and all his friends will be the same. He has Gained Mad'm Collers affections and are to be Marred out of hand. She is a gentlewoman of a good Caritor and fortune at Lest £1500, which I doubt not but will Make Mr. Dobney happy in his old age, and I desire the favour of you and all his friends to assist him with what he wants to fitt him out well and with all the Dispatch that may be, for she is Desperately in Love with him and Delays in such Cases are dangerous. I Design to Dance at his wedding, in the meantime I Remain

(†99)

Y'r Hum'l Servant, JOHN POWELL.

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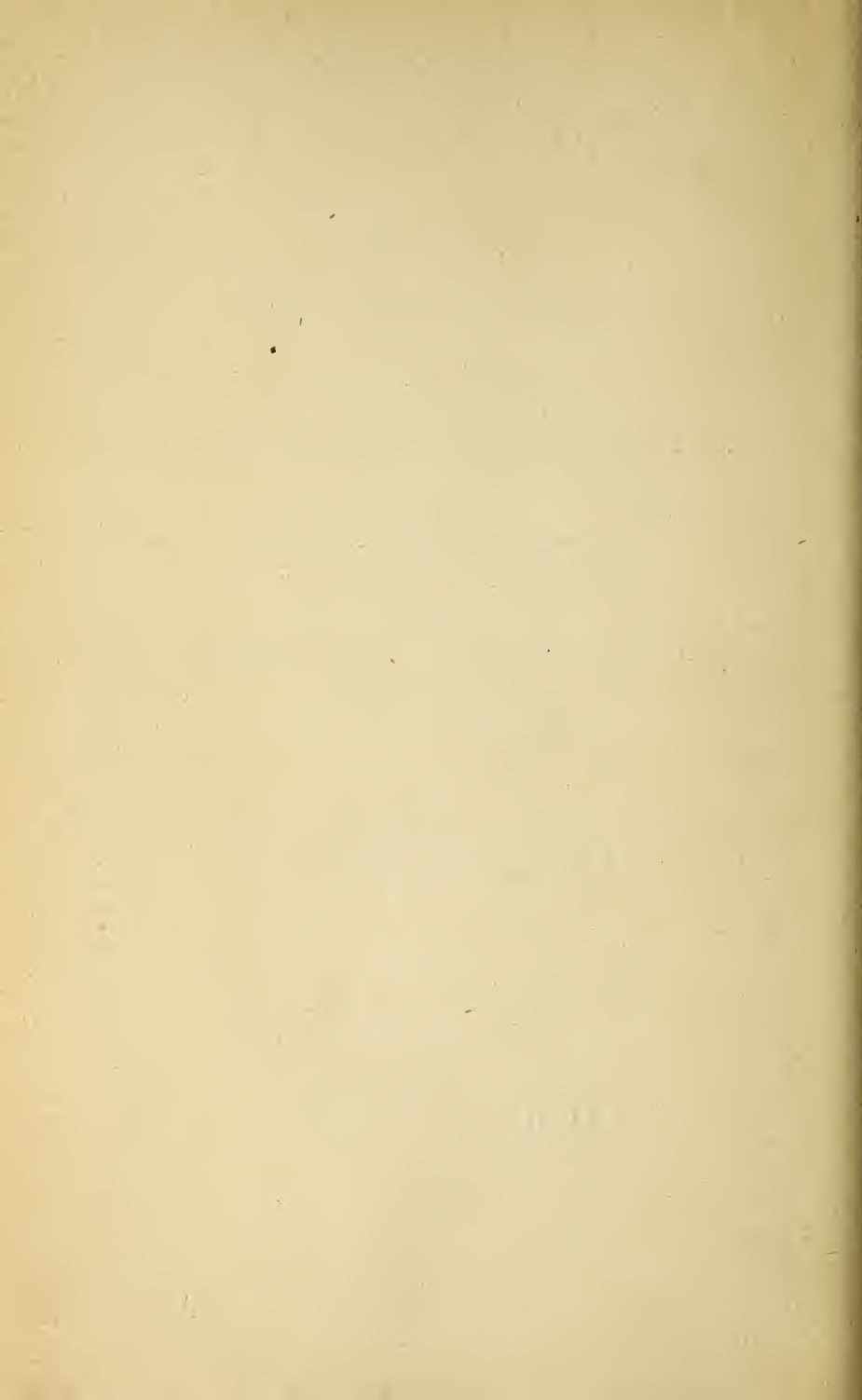
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THE MASON FAMILY.

[BY REV. AMASA LORING.]

Persons of the name of Mason were among the early immigrants to New England. Such soon became numerous; some of them distinguished in military, some in civil life. It is not known to which branch of that ancient and honorable family Judge and

1 Deacon JONAS MASON (see p. 304), the head of the North Yarmouth family, belonged. When a young man he learned the hatter's trade, but it does not appear that he followed it. He united with the Congregationalist Church in Charlestown, Mass., June 21, 1727. He was born in that town, Oct. 21, 1708. He was married, the date and place now unknown to the writer, to

2 Mary Chandler, daughter of Joseph and Martha (Hunt) Chandler (see p. 305), of Duxbury, Mass., who was born Aug. 3, 1704. They removed to North Yarmouth in 1731, or earlier. He then had one child, possibly more. He settled on the farm now owned by Widow ——— York, adjoining the place of the late Richmond Loring, and there resided until his death, Mar. 13, 1801, aged 93 years. His wife died Nov. 27, 1787, aged 85 years.

Feb. 27, 1732, he united with the First Church, North Yarmouth, being the thirty-third member. His wife joined July 9, 1732, her number being forty-seven. Soon after the settlement of Rev. Nicholas Loring, Mr. Mason was chosen Deacon, continuing in the active duties of that office sixty years.

If he was the first to fell an opening in New Gloucester, with a view of settlement, he must have changed his mind, as it does not appear that he ever resided there, and it must have been as late as 1740 or 1741 that this was done.

He was a leading man in town and church affairs; was a county magistrate, and in 1773 was appointed one of the three Colonial Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for Cumberland County. Colonel Jeremiah Powell, a near neighbor of Judge Mason, was already another of them. Troublous times were coming on. The resistance to the oppressive acts of the mother-country was fast increasing. Open hostilities broke out between the Colonies and Great Britain, and the General Court of Massachusetts assumed control of State and County affairs.

In 1777, Judge Mason retired from the bench, and Hon. David Mitchell, a man of talents, learning and unblemished integrity, another of his near neighbors, succeeded him.

Judge Mason was not learned in legal or literary attainments. In those days the incumbents of the bench were not taken from the legal profession. Men of sound judgment, careful investigators; men of sterling integrity and high moral and religious character, were intrusted with these responsibilities. In these qualities Judge Mason was not behind his associates. The writer has heard him spoken of by those who knew him, as "one of the best of men."

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children: MASON.

- (9) 3 Ebenezer; b. Nov. 1, 1732.
- (15) 4 John; b. Sept. 18, 1734; bap. Sept. 22 (p. 491); d. Feb. 3, 1769.
- 5 Mary; (217, 1st Ch., Nov. 1, 1762; dis. to 2d Ch., N. Yar., Sept. 17, 1806); b. Feb. 12, 1735-6; m. John Hamilton, (216, 1st Ch.), of Walnut Hill, No. Yarmouth. Children: William, bap. Nov. 1, 1762 (p. 715); Mary, bap. Feb. 4, 1765 (p. 716); John, bap. July 4, 1770 (p. 750); Mary, bap. Nov. 10, 1771 (p. 752); Sarah, bap. June 5, 1774 (p. 803.)
- 6 Sarah; b. July 20, 1738; bap. July 27, 1738 (p. 492); m. Nathaniel Eveleth, of New Gloucester, Jan. 4, 1760 (p. 658.) For children see p. 990.
- 7 Elizabeth; (223, 1st Ch., Sept. 2, 1764); b. Mar. 13, 1740; bap. Mar. 15, 1741 (p. 612); m. Bezaleel Loring; d. Oct. 24, 1810. For children see p. 883.
- 8 Mercy; b. Nov. 10, 1743; bap. Nov. 13 (p. 614.)
- (20) 9 Samuel; b. Aug. 22, 1746; bap. Aug. 24 (p. 615); d. Feb. 7, 1831 (p. 102.)

(3) Ebenezer Mason (195, 1st Ch., June 30, 1757; dis. to ch. in N. Gloucester, Oct. 13, 1765); m. Jan. 13, 1756, (659)

10 Rebecca Winslow; (196, 1st Ch.); b. Mar. 9, 1735; dau. of Barnabas and Mercy (Glass) Winslow. He married, 2d,

11 Anna Clives.

Residence : New Gloucester, Me., 1765 (p. 829.)

Occupation : Farmer.

Children :

MASON.

12 Jonas ; b. Nov. 2, 1756 ; bap. Jan. 30, 1757 (p. 665.)

13 Asenath ; b. Sept. 4, 1758 ; bap. Oct. 8 (p. 666.)

14 John ; bap. Nov. 21, 1760 (p. 668.)

(38) 15 Willard.

(4) John Mason (224, 1st Ch., Oct. 14, 1764), married, Sept. 5, 1761 (p. 659),—

16 Abigail Seabury (226, 1st Ch.), b. Mar. 31, 1739 ; d. May 8, 1781 ; (see No. 64, p. 377) ; she m., 2d, Nathan Oakes (see p. 638.)

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation : ———.

Children :

MASON.

17 David ; b. 1762 ; bap. Oct. 14, 1764 (p. 715) ; d. unm. 1804.

18 Patience ; (450, 1st Ch., May 13, 1792) ; b. Oct. 14, 1754 ; bap. same day (p. 715) ; m. Dea. John Oakes (No. 54, p. 638), (405, 1st Ch., Sept. 4, 1791) ; removed to Temple, Me., 1813. Children : John and David, bap. Nov. 22, 1791 (p. 942) ; Edward, bap. Nov. 4, 1792 (p. 943) ; Samuel, bap. May 10, 1795 (p. 945) ; Jonas Mason, bap. June 4, 1797 (p. 980) ; Abigail, who m. Nathaniel Staples, of Temple, Sarah, who m. Gideon Staples, of Temple, and Ann, all bap. Nov. 22, 1791 (p. 942.)

(52) 19 Joseph ; b. 1767 ; bap. Jan. 17, 1768 (p. 748) ; d. Jan. 18, 1852.

20 Mary ; (449, 1st Ch., May 13, 1792, dis. to ch. Cumb. Sept. 24, 1794) ; bap. Oct. 8, 1769 (p. 749) ; d. June 26, 1857 ; m., July 30, 1790 (p. 725), Col. Samuel Baker, (448, 1st Ch., d. 1826), of North Yarmouth, a Revolutionary soldier, and had, Jeremiah, bap. July 1, 1792 (p. 942), bur. June 25, 1859 (p. 369), Huldah Blanchard, bap. Dec. 12, 1793 (p. 944). Joseph, Samuel, Nathaniel C., and others.

(9) Capt. Samuel Mason married, — — —, — — —, —

21 Sarah Mitchell, b. Oct. 24, 1751, bap. Dec. 8 (p. 618). d. July 9, 1789, daughter of Col. Jonathan and Sarah (Loring) Mitchell. He married, 2d, — — —, — — —, —

22 Sarah Beals.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation : Farmer ; Sea-captain ; Collector of Customs (p. 181) ; Selectman.

Children :

MASON.

- 23 Jonathan; bap. Feb. 7, 1773 (p. 801); d. an infant.
 24 Samuel; bap. July 17, 1774 (p. 803); d. an infant.
 (76) 25 Alford; bap. July 14, 1776 (p. 805); d. Feb. 7, 1830.
 26 John; bap. June 14, 1778 (p. 858); d. young.
 27 Olive; bap. Aug. 22, 1779 (p. 859); d. young.
 28 William; bap. July 20, 1783 (p. 902); d. young.
 29 John; bap. Oct. 2, 1785 (p. 903); d. young.
 30 Sarah; bap. Mar. 4, 1787 (p. 906); d. an infant.
 30½ Sarah; b. 1788; d., unm., July 26, 1808.
 31 Theodosia; bap. Aug. 14, 1791 (p. 941); d. Apr. 11, 1841, aged 49; m. Major Daniel Mitchell; had nine children, Daniel L. Mitchell, Esq., being one; (she was 586, 1st Ch. Dec. 2, 1810.)
 32 Mary; bap. Mar. 10, 1793 (p. 943); (657, 1st Ch. Nov. 9, 1817, d. July 6, 1851, unmarried.)
 33 Edward; bap. Mar. 1, 1795 (p. 945); d. young.
 34 Reuben; bap. May 22, 1796 (p. 946); d. young.
 35 Jonas; bap. May 13, 1798 (p. 980); a musician; d. in manhood, unmarried.
 36 Nancy; bap. July 13, 1800 (p. 981); d. young.
 37 Sophronia; b. 1801; bap. July 25, 1802 (p. 982); (809, 1st Ch., Jan. 2, 1831, dis. to Washington-Street Ch., Beverly, Mass., Nov. 24, 1847); m. Deacon N—— Batchelder, of Beverly; no children.
 38 Elizabeth; born 1808; bap. July 9, 1808 (p. 984); d. at Berlin, N. H., Jan. —, 1874 (p. 1003); m. Rev. Edwin Seabury; (for children see p. 407); (she was 810, 1st Ch., Jan. 2, 1831.)

(15) Willard Mason married,—

39 ————.

Residence: Turner, Me. (pp. 829-830.)

Occupation: Farmer.

Children :

MASON.

- 40 Lewis; had sons Albert, Charles, Arington, and Lewis Carroll, all residing in Buckfield, Me., or vicinity.
 41 Ira; left two sons now living in Turner, or vicinity.
 42 Willard; has a dau. who m. Deering Farrar, of North Turner,
 43 Ezekiel.
 44 Luther W.; a music-teacher in Japan.
 45 to 52 unknown.

(19) Joseph Mason married, —

53 Susanna Baker, dau. of Samuel and Eleanor (Blanchard) Baker, bap. Feb. 12, 1775 (pp. 804, 909); first name is given as "Lusana" in 1st Ch. Cat.; (831, 1st Ch., May 1, 1831.)

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation : ———.

Children : MASON.

- 54 David ; b. Feb. 7, 1800 ; sea-captain ; m. Sarah J. Fulton ; lost inf. dau. who d. in Cuba, June 2, 1833 ; had son Henry who entered the Navy as an engineer, and was wounded during the Rebellion and is now on the retired list, is married, lives in New York City.
- (62) 55 Samuel ; b. Sept. 14, 1801 ; d. Apr. 18, 1875.
- 56 Lusana ; b. Jan. 20, 1803 ; m. George E. Holt ; one son who resides in Alexandria, N. H.
- (69) 57 Jonathan ; b. Apr. 7, 1805 ; d. Apr. 9, 1878.
- 58 Mary ; b. Feb. 14, 1807 ; (832, 1st Ch., May 1, 1831) ; d. Mar. 5, 1841, unmarried.
- 59 Joseph ; b. Mar. 27, 1809 ; m. Abbie Bascom : had son Joseph.
- 60 John ; (892, 1st Ch., Dec. 4, 1831) ; m. Wid. Rachel (Drinkwater) Gray (1010, 1st Ch., Aug. 2, 1840) ; d. June 8, 1844 ; had children : Mary Gray, b. 1837 ; George, b. May 20, 1841, sheriff of Marin County, Cal., res. San Rafael ; Abby, b. June 13, 1843, m. Lewis Gurney (see No. 134, p. 292), one child. He was b. Nov. 2, 1811.
- 61 Sarah ; (1036, 1st Ch., Sept. 6, 1840) ; b. Feb. 5, 1814 ; m. John Soule ; no children.
- 62 Asa M. ; b. Oct. 29, 1816 ; lives on the homestead ; m. Mary Reed ; has ch., Susan, b. 1849, d. Jan. 4, 1866 ; Joseph, m., and has son ; James, b. Jan. 23, 1856 ; Sarah ; Abby ; (last three unmarried.)

(55) Samuel Mason (844, 1st Ch., July 3, 1831, dis. to 3d Ch., Portland, Sept. 2, 1857), married,—

63 Eliza Davis, (829, 1st Ch., May 1, 1831.)

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : ———.

Children : MASON.

- 64 Harriet ; b. Sept. 18, 1828 ; m. Hudson Ames ; two ch.
- 65 Timothy Davis ; b. Jan. 11, 1831 ; res. Minnesota ; m. and has one child.
- 66 David ; b. June 30, 1833 ; m. ——— Merrill ; one dau.
- 67 Samuel ; b. Sept. 6, 1835 ; m. Augusta Hall ; d. Aug. 18, 1875 : one child.
- 68 Mary Eliza ; b. June 6, 1837 ; m. A. C. Lewis ; res. New Jersey.
- 69 John Davis ; b. Aug. —, 1842 ; d. Feb. 16, 1844.

(57) Jonathan Mason (845, 1st Ch., July 3, 1831, dis. to

Central Ch. Mar. 30, 1859), married,—

70 Lydia H. Reed (had two children.) He married, 2d,—

71 Sarah Reed; b. July —, 1820; d. Nov. 16, 1881.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Farmer; brickmaker.

Children: MASON.

72 Mary; b. Jan. 3, 1841.

73 Joseph W.; b. Nov. 16, 1842.

74 John; b. June 3, 1844; a sailor; married; residence,
New Orleans, La.

75 Henry H.; accidentally killed in 1861.

76 Lucy; b. 1850; d. 1862.

(25) Alford Mason married,—

77 Mary Gardner (582, 1st Ch., Oct. 21, 1810), (who m.
2d. Allen Drinkwater, see No. 98, p. 391.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: ———.

Children: MASON.

(80) 78 Samuel; bap. Oct. 21, 1810 (p. 1017.)

79 William; b. Dec. 3, 1808; bap. Oct. 21, 1810 (p.
1017); d. July 16, 1862, unmarried.

79½ Sarah; bap. Sept. 29, 1811; d. Jan. 22, 1812 (p. 1017.)

80 Gardiner; bap. Jan. 31, 1813 (p. 1018.)

(78) Samuel Mason married,—

81 Eleanor Sawyer (851, 1st Ch., July 3, 1831, dis. to ch.
in Portland, July 23, 1856.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Sea-captain.

Children: MASON.

82 Samuel M.; b. 1830; d. in Cuba, unmarried.

83 Ellen; b. Aug. 2, 1832; res. Hollywood, Carteret Co.,
N. C.; (see p. 175.)

84 Alford; b. July 30, 1834; lost at sea; unmarried.

85 Mary; d. in Philadelphia, unmarried.

86 Jonas W.; served in Union Army, in the Rebellion; d.
in Washington.

87 Augusta; 2d wife of Hon. Appleton Oaksmith, son of
the author and poet, Seba Smith, whose surname was
legally changed; lost two children, two still living;
res. Hollywood, Carteret Co., N. C.; (see p. 792.)

(Notes Gen.)

RECORD OF BAPTISMS,
AT THE
FIRST CHURCH, NORTH YARMOUTH.

(Continued from page 1023.)

1823.

Jan. 2 Seward Low, adopted child of Solomon & Hannah Low, (offered up by her at an evening lecture at their house.)

Feb. 19 David, child of Beals & Rachel Thompson [413, p. 901], (at an evening lecture at their house.)

Mar. 23 Tristram Drinkwater, child of John & Mary Ann Pittee [543, 1st Ch.]

May 25 Mary Matilda [258, p. 794], child of Sylvanus & Matilda Prince.

June 1 Harriet Hall Sawyer [750, 1st Ch.], adult, belonging to the family of John D. & Lydia Blanchard; Mary, inf. dau. of Samuel & Mary Fisher.

Oct. 5 Martha Oxnard, child of Alfred & Charlotte Dunham.
12 Loring Blanchard, child of Greely & Deborah Sturdivant. 19
Mary Ann Loring, child of Samuel & Priscilla Hatch.

Nov. 2 Sarah Field [755, 1st Ch.], adult, member of Samuel Fisher's family. 9 Olive Ann [209, p. 791], child of Thaxter & Apphia Prince. (by Rev. E. Mosely)

1824.

Feb. 1 William, child of Thomas & Jane G. Lancaster [745, 1st Ch.], of New Sharon

May 2 Augustus Octavius, child of James C. & Mary B. Hill.

June 7 Dorcas Cutter [420, p. 901], child of Beals & Rachel Thompson; Harriet [201, p. 790], child of Reuben & Hannah Hayes.

July 11 Edwin Cummings [92, p. 378], child of Samuel & Betsey Seabury; Gridley, child of Dr. Gad & Mary L. Hitchcock.

25 Henry Leach, child of Sewall [174, p. 793] & Mary Prince.

Aug. 22 Israel, child of Israel & Martha Merrill.

Sept. 12 Josiah Newell, child of Josiah & Susan Soule.

1825.

Jan. 16 Hannah, child of Asa & Phebe Cummings.

Feb. 13 Ammi Mitchell, child of Sylvanus & Dorcas [124, p. 789], Blanchard.

Mar. 7 Mary Elizabeth [78, p. 252], child of Dea. Jacob & Hannah Mitchell; Horace [94, p. 884], child of Richmond & Lucinda Loring; Marilla [180, p. 407], child of David & Polly Seabury.

Apr. 10 Hannah Elizabeth [157, p. 772], child of Enos & Sarah Ann Chandler, (by Rev. Mr. Miltimore.) 17 Hannah, child of William [3, p. 162], & Margaret Reed.

May 29 Charlotte, child of Alfred & Charlotte Dunham.

June 6 Eliza, Sally, Timothy, John, Phebe, and William Smith, children of Widow Sarah Davis [8, p. 766?] 12 Sarah Jane, child of Josiah & Susan Soule

Sept. 17 Ruth Sherburne [421, p. 901], child of Beals & Rachel Thompson.

Oct. 20 Samuel, child of Samuel & Susannah C. Gammon. 30 Harriet, child of Daniel & Theodosia Mitchell.

Nov. 6 Philip Eastman, adult, [726, 1st Ch.] 20 Joseph Allen [261, p. 844], child of Leach & Lucy Prince.

1826.

Feb. 19 Lyman, child of Thomas & Jane G. Lancaster, of New Sharon.

Apr. 20 John Flavel, child of William R. & Molly York (at a lecture at the Methodist meeting-house.)

May 7 Abigail Parsons, child of John. Jr., & Esther Gooch.

June 22 Charles Morgan, child of Sewall [174, p. 793] & Mary Prince.

July 16 Ann Maria [158, p. 772], child of Enos & Sarah Ann Chandler.

Oct. 16 Mary Margaret, child of James C. & Mary B. Hill.

Nov. 5 Olive Elizabeth, [197, p. 790], child of Sylvanus & Dorcas Blanchard; Samuel Wentworth, adopted child of Justin & Mrs. Worthley. 12 Benjamin, child of Dr. Gad & Mary L. Hitchcock.

1827.

May 7 Rachel Drinkwater, child of William [3, p. 162], & Margaret Reed.

July 15 Sarah Rumford Pierce, child of Dr. William B. & Sarah R. Gooch.

Aug. 26 Harriet Maria [95, p. 928], child of Richmond & Lucinda Loring.

Oct. 7 Addison [181, p. 407], child of David & Polly Seabury; Asahel Bigelow, child of Josiah & Susan Soule; Lucy Leach Drinkwater, child of Leach [176, p. 844], (dec'd), & Lucy Prince. 14 Duncan, child of Duncan Forbes [see 588. 681, 1st Ch.] 20 Mary Elizabeth Sewall, child of Sewall [174, p. 793], (dec'd), & Mary Prince. Asa Humphrey, Harriet Ann, Charles William, Mary Elizabeth, Margaret Mitchell, [125-129, p. 770], children

& Dorcas Cutter.

1828.

July 6 Sally Maria, child of Jonathan & Deborah Soule.

Sept. 14 Lewis Whitney, child of Levi & Charlotte Davis. 19 Levi Evans, child of Levi & Charlotte Moulton. 21 Mary Gardner, child of Charles & Mary Chase (dec'd.) 28 Margaret Ellen [210, p. 791], child of Thaxter & Apphia Prince.

1829.

(Record of Baptisms administered by Rev. David Shepley.)

Feb. 24 Ellen Jane, dau. of Philip & Mary A. Eastman.

May 24 Harriet Bailey, child of Gad & Mary L. Hitchcock; Olive Ringe, child of James C. & Mary B. Hill; Sidney Smith, child of Rufus & Dorcas Gooch. 29 Levi, adopted child of Bethuel & Mary Wood.

June 7 William Leach [259, p. 794], child of Silvanus & Matilda Prince.

Aug. 2 Eliza, Sarah Jane, David, children of David & Mary Pratt.

Sept. 6 Susan Moxey [791, 1st Ch.], adult, dau. of Cornelius; Tristram Brown, child of William [3, p. 162] & Margaret Reed. 13 Jonathan Mitchell, child of John & Esther Gooch.

1830.

Mar. 21 John Moxey [799, 1st Ch.], adult, son of Cornelius.

May 2 Watson Gray [112, p. 392], child of Allen & Mary Drinkwater; Lucy Ann, child of Daniel & Martha Mitchell.

Aug. 1 Helen Maria, child of Samuel & Harriet Sweetser. 13 George William, child of Josiah & Susan Soule. 19 Samuel Alford, child of Daniel & Theodosia Mitchell.

1831.

Jan. 2 Sarah R. P. Gooch [804, 1st Ch.], adult, wife of Dr. William B.; Lydia Louise Parsons [808, 1st Ch.], adult; Betsey Kenney [811, 1st Ch.], adult; Charles, child of William & Susan Anderson.

Mar. 6 Hannah Mitchell [818, 1st Ch.], adult, wife of Jeremiah; Elizabeth Woodbury Low [824, 1st Ch.], adult.]

May 1 Mary Gray [828, 1st Ch.], adult, wife of Adams; Sophronia Prince [835, 1st Ch.], adult, wife of Rudduck; Mary Myrick Bailey [836, 1st Ch.], adult; Mary Mason [832, 1st Ch.], adult. 8 Caroline Watson (Drinkwater), adopted child of Joshua & Lucy Gray; Margaret Hannah, child of Joshua & Lucy Gray; Lucy Gray, Samuel Allen, Henry A. [W.?] [380-382, p. 850], children of Reuben & Deborah Prince; Mary Ann Webber [94, p. 289], child of Eliza Corliss; Samuel Bucknam, child of Jonathan & Deborah Soule. 26 Phebe Maria, Joshua, Albert,

Andrew, James Henry, Lawrence, Horatio Nelson, children of Adams & Mary Gray; Gustavus Harward, child of Timothy & Soule.

June 5 George Stetson, Henry, Thomas Gray, [267-269, p. 932], children of Jacob [G.] & Desiah B. Loring; James Hill, Ruhamah, John, Elizabeth Mason, children of John & Rachel [819, 1st Ch.]. Snell; John Crocker [840, 1st Ch.], adult.

July 3 Samnel Mason [844, 1st Ch.], adult; Jonathan Mason [845, 1st Ch.], adult; Harriet Chandler [850, 1st Ch.], adult, wife of Joseph, Jr.; Amelia Cutter [855, 1st Ch.], wf. of Chas. ?; Relief Curtis Mitchell [858, 1st Ch.], adult; Nancy Carter [862, 1st Ch.], adult, wife of John; David Cushing, William Lewis, Elizabeth Greely, [331-333, p. 936], children of David & Hannah Loring; Margaret Davis, adult, dan. of Timothy. 10 Maria Louisa, Marietta Gray, Ellen Frances, [372, 374, 375, p. 850], children of Rudduck & Sophronia Prince; Harriet, Timothy Davis [64-65, p. 1051], children of Samuel & Eliza Mason. 24 Granville Humphrey, adopted child of Thomas [3, p. 988] & Mary E. Chase. 3 (see above), Charles, Edward, John, Mary, children of John & Nancy Carter (colored.)

Aug. 7 Thomas Congram, Elizabeth Groves, Hannah Ally, children of Sarah DeCarteret (widow); Mary Eliza, child of Thomas (dec'd) & Mary Davis; Mary Elizabeth, child of Levi & Sarah Whitecomb. 28 Dorcas, John, children of Duncan & Forbes

Sept. 4 Lydia Seabury [869, 1st Ch.; 224, p. 409], adult, wf. of Benjamin; Betsey Mitchell [874, 1st Ch.], adult, wf. of Isaiah; Mary Soule [870, 1st Ch.; wf. of John], adult. 25 Solomon Loring, child of William [3, p. 162] & Margaret Reed.

Oct. 2 Stephen Kenney [879, 1st Ch.], adult; Ezekiel Merrill [875, 1st Ch.], adult; Sophronia Young [877, 1st Ch.], adult, wf. of John; Mary Hall Blaisdell, wf. of Jeremiah; Andrew Jackson, child of James C. & Mary B. Hill.

Nov. 2 Benjamin Seabury [882, 1st Ch.], adult; Dorcas Seabury [884, 1st Ch.], adult; Cornelia Amanda, Hannah Gray, [176, 175, p. 399], children of Theophilus & Louisa Drinkwater. 13 Joseph William, Wellington, children of Joseph [106, p. 392] & Anna Drinkwater; Samuel Morrison [82, p. 1052], child of Samuel & Eleanor Mason; Francis Edwin, child of William & Eliza Chandler; Prudence Esther Rowe, child of John, Jr., & Esther Gooch.

Dec. 4 John Snell [888, 1st Ch.], adult; William Seabury [887, 1st Ch.], adult; John Mason [892, 1st Ch.], adult; Joseph Holmes, child of Samuel & Alice Kenney. 11 Sarah Elizabeth, child of Daniel & Martha Mitchell; Elizabeth Soule, George, children of Widow Sally Brown; Joseph, Francis Edwin, John William, children of John & Sophronia Young.

1832.

Jan. 8 Levi Blanchard [893. 1st Ch.], adult; Margaret, Isaac Newton, Zilpha, John Lewis, William Augustus, Emeline, children of Ezekiel & ——— Merrill.

Apr. 8 Charles Eliot, Samuel Fogg, Alfred, Lucia Ann, Clarissa Parsons, Julia Eliza, children of Eliot & Salome York [see p. 798.] 22 Mary, child of William & Susan Anderson.

May 6 Thomas Adams, Mary Adams, children of Adams & Mary Gray. 13 Edward Grenville [212, p. 791], child of Levi & Olive Blanchard.

June 17 Sarah Ann, child of John & Rachel Snell. 24 Lavinia Hitchcock, child of Josiah & Susan Soule.

July 1 William Crosby, Edward, Rufus Bailey, Augustus[?] Allen, Harriet, Herman, Sarah Beathe, [204-210, p. 408], ch. of William & Penelope P. Seabury. 15 Charlotte, child of Levi & Charlotte Davis; Anne, child of Rev. David & Myra Shepley.

Sept. 16 Addison Gelusia [373, p. 850[?], child of Rudduck & Sophronia Prince. Emily, Alfred, Charles, children of Joseph, Jr., & Harriet Chandler.

Oct. 7 Ralph Wardlaw, child of Rev. Asa & Phebe Cummings; Albert, child of Joseph [106, p. 392], & Anna Drinkwater. 21 Sally Smith, Eliza Corliss, Abigail Soule, Mary Foster, Saba Smith, John Edward, children of Joel & Susan Brooks [659, 1st Church.]

Nov. 4 Mary Eliza, George Albion, [160, 161, p. 406], children of Albion & Doreas Seabury.

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(To be continued.)

PETITION FOR INCORPORATION

OF

NORTH YARMOUTH ACADEMY.

[DR. JOHN F. PRATT.]

To the Senate and Honourable House of Representatives in General Court assembled:

The subscribers, inhabitants of the Town of North Yarmouth, in the County of Cumberland, ask leave humbly to represent, that your petitioners humbly aware of the importance of the instruction of youth, in the winter of 1810-11 subscribed a sum of money toward erecting a school-house in which youth of both sexes might

have an opportunity of receiving a better education than common town schools generally afford, and that notwithstanding the pressure of the times, they have built a convenient house in a central and pleasant part of the town, which is now nearly ready to receive a school; that they have expended in building said school-house, including the land, one thousand seven hundred and eighteen dollars, and that a further sum of one hundred and fifty-six dollars remains due from subscribers. But your petitioners being numerous and unincorporated find it difficult to conduct the undertaking to any advantage. They therefore pray your honours that said school may by Act of Incorporation be established as an Academy, and a suitable number of Trustees appointed to regulate the same, with power to receive and appropriate such contributions and donations as may be hereafter made toward the permanent establishment of said school, and a fund for the support thereof, and as in duty bound will ever pray.

Northyarmouth, December 28, 1813.

Ammi R. Mitchell.
Cushing Prince.
Nathaniel Jenks.
Alford Richardson.
Ammi Cutter.
Daniel Mitchell, Jr.
Edward Russell.
Calvin Stockbridge.
Silvanus Blanchard.
Lazarus Bates.
Joseph Woods.
Bezaleel Young.
Allen Drinkwater.
Thomas DeCarteret.
Seth Mitchell.
Ebenezer Corliss.
Nathan B. Smith.
Edmund Cleaves.

Enos Field.
John Gooch.
John M——.
Benjamin Gooch.
Hezekiah Corliss.
Samuel Larrabee.
Nathan Oakes.
Levi Mitchell.
Hiram Hatch.
Jacob Mitchell.
John Hayes.
Richmond Loring, 3d.
W. R. Stockbridge.
Zadock Whitcomb.
John Cutter.
Asa Chase.
Samuel Baker.
Nathaniel Mitchell.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, House of Representatives, January 22, 1814. The Committee to whom was referred the Petition of Ammi R. Mitchell and others, praying for the incorporation of an Academy in the Town of North Yarmouth, have considered the subject and ask leave to report that the Petitioners have leave to bring in a bill.

PHILO N. WASHBURN, pr order.

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GENEALOGICAL NOTES.

(Continued from page 1031.)

BOOKER — (Continued from p. 874.) 1 Isaiah Booker married 2 Molly Chase (4, p. 988), dau. of Humphrey and Elizabeth (Loring) Chase. She was 531, 1st Ch., June 29, 1806, d. Jan. —, 1815, aged 37.

Residence: N. Yarmouth; Bowdoinham (p. 1016); Canaan, Me. (p. 1018.)

Occupation: ———.

Children: BOOKER.

3 Lucretia Chase; bap. July 6, 1806 (p. 984) (901, 1st., Ch., Nov. 1, 1832; dis. to ch. in Portland, Nov. 21, 1860.)

4 Sarah; bap. Jan. 21, 1810 (p. 1016.)

5 Humphrey Chase; bap. Jan. 22, 1812 (p. 1018.)

6 Jane Hatch; bap. Feb. 27, 1814 (p. 1019.)

BARROWS.—1 William Barrows (622, 1st Ch., Apr. 23, 1815 (p. 1019), d. Nov. 18, 1837, aged 37), married,—

2 Mary P. Fessenden, (619, 1st Ch., Sept. 4, 1814, from ch. in Fryeburg, d. Mar. 31, 1823.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Lawyer.

Children: BARROWS.

3 Mary Osgood; bap. Mar. 13, 1814 (p. 1019.)

4 Sarah Fessenden; bap. Apr. 23, 1815 (p. 1019.)

5 Nancy Perley; bap. Jan. —, 1818 (p. 1020.)

6 William Griswold; bap. Mar. 4, 1821 (p. 1021.)

CARMAN.—Dominicus Carman, of North Yarmouth, int. m. with Elizabeth Blackstone, of Falmouth, July 11, 1761 (pp. 32, 396.) Margaret Carman int. m. with Robert Dave, Aug. 16, 1752 (p. 658.) Francis Carman m. Lydia Whitney (388, 1st Ch., Aug. 14, 1791, d. in 1810, in Minot), and had two children, Sally and "Cretia," bap. Nov. 4, 1792 (p. 943.) Rebecca Carman, (483, 1st Ch., Sept. 8, 1792.) Elizabeth Carman, (495, 1st Ch., Sept. 8, 1793.) Levi Carman, bap. on account of Jonathan Chandler, Mar. 17, 1751 (p. 617.)

CAMPBELL.—Thomas Campbell, of Flying Point, had children, Mary, bap. Aug. 22, 1764 (p. 715), and Thomas, bap. Feb. 7, 1767 (p. 717.)

COBB.—Matthew Cobb m. Apr. 5, 1733, Catherine Camble, [Campbell?], (p. 658.)

Thomas Cobb and wife Sarah, of Freeport had three children. Chipman and Thomas, twins, bap. Nov. 24, 1771 (p. 752), and Molly, bap. July 10, 1779 (p. 859.)

CRANDALL.—Philip Crandall m.. 1750, Mary Babbage (p. 658) and had, Mary, bap. July 21, 1751 (p. 618.)

CLEAVES.—1 Edmund Cleaves (538, 1st Ch., July 17, 1808, d. Nov. 3, 1847, aged 73), (see p. 105), married,—

2 Jane Trow (539, 1st Ch., July 17, 1808, d. Feb. 25, 1851, aged 79.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation : Farmer.

Children :

CLEAVES.

3 Rachel ; bap. July 31, 1808 (p. 984) ; (699, 1st Ch., Mar. 3, 1822; dis. Mar. 29, 1835, to ch. in Buxton) ; m. Asa Brown.

4 Thomas Trow } bap. July 31, 1808 (p. 984.)

5 Edmund }

6 Deborah Jane ; bap. July 31, 1808 (p. 984) ; (764, 1st Ch., June —, 1826, dis. to ch. in Washington, Iowa, 1857.)

7 Caleb Strong ; bap. July 31, 1808 (p. 984.)

8 Tristram ; bap. July 30, 1809 (p. 985.)

9 Ammi R. Mitchell ; bap. July 7, 1811 (p. 1017.)

10 John ; bap. Sept. 12, 1813 (p. 1019.)

11 Abigail ; bap. Sept. 3, 1815 (p. 1019.)

12 Henry Augustus ; bap. Oct. 16, 1818 (p. 1021.)

Ammi R. Cleaves, 803, 1st Ch., Jan. 2. 1831, dis. to Bap. ch. Chebeague, Apr. 2, 1841.

Tristram G. Cleaves, [1157, 1st Ch. ?], m. Mary Davis, widow of Thomas. She was 852, 1st Ch., July 3, 1831, d. Mar. 27, 1874.

Thomas Gilman Cleaves, 1396, 1st Ch., June 3, 1877, married Justina Poole, 1207, 1st Ch., Sept. 7, 1862

John D. Cleaves, 1419, 1st Ch., Mar. 3, 1879. Mrs. F. O. Cleaves, 1420, 1st Ch., Mar. 3, 1879.

CLARK.—Jane Clark, (of Brunswick), bap. May 26, 1745 (p. 615.)

Ichabod Clark (New Casco) had dau. Dorcas bap. Feb. 29, 1756 (p. 665.) Edmund Clark, a settler, 1723 (p. 47, 1st Ch. Cat.) ——— Clarke, killed by Indians, Aug. 26, 1746 (p. 50, 1st Ch. Cat.)

- 1 Dr. Daniel Clark, of ———, Conn. (p. 55, 1st Ch. Cat.). m.
- 2 Larissa Homer (557, 1st Ch., Apr. 29, 1810, dis. to ch. in Thomaston, Me., June 4, 1821.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation; Physician.

Children:

CLARK.

- 3 Homer Johnson; bap. Apr. 29, 1810 (p. 1016.)
- 4 William Brenton Hall; bap. Apr. 29, 1810 (p. 1016.)
- 5 James Edward; bap. Dec. 18, 1814 (p. 1019.)

CHASE.—(Continued from p. 989.) (10) Charles Chase (p. 988) (891, 1st Ch., d. July 19, 1853), married, ———, ———.

13 Mary Gardner (717, 1st Ch. Apr. 7, 1822 (see p. 1022). d. June 7, 1827, aged 35.) He married, 2d, ———, ———.

14 Mary Hill (744, 1st Ch., Aug. 4, 1822, still a member in 1878.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: ———.

Children:

CHASE.

- 15 William Henry; bap. May 5, 1822 (p. 1022.)
- 16 Olive Drinkwater; bap. May 5, 1822 (p. 1022.)
- 17 Jane; bap. May 5, 1822 (p. 1022.)
- 18 Mary; bap. Sept. 22, 1822 (p. 1023)
- 19 Mary Gardner; bap. Sept. 21, 1828 (p. 1055.)

Cousins.—In the attempt to resettle the town, President Thos. Danforth, 17 Aug. 1681, appointed George Pearson, Anthony Brackett and George Ingersoll, Senior, a committee for "ye furtherance of the settlement." "This aforesaid committee are hereby desired to lay out unto Isaac Cussons such a tract of land for his settlement within the afore^{sd} township as may be mete accomodation, he or his son ingaging to com y^r and to accomodate the inhabitants by worke of his trade" [*York Deeds*, IV, 41.]

He may have been some connection of the earlier settler, John Cousins. There was an Isaac Cousins, of Rowley, about 1650, who came from Marlboro, Wiltshire, and went to New London where he had a grant of land, 1651, but did not take it, returning to Rowley. He had wife Ann [Hunt], in 1658, according to the Boston Town Records, who was formerly the wife of one John Edwards, but on the same record it appears that by a former wife Elizabeth (who d. 14 Dec. 1656) he had dau. Sarah b. 31 Aug. 1656 [*Savage*]. An Isaac Cousins was killed at Wells in 1675 [*Bourne*, 143.]

Abraham Cousins m., 19 Nov. 1684, Mary Eames (perhaps a dau. of Thomas), and had, Abraham, b. 22 Aug. 1685; Isaac, b. 2 June 1688; Jacob and Joseph, twins, b. 13 Aug. 1692; Mary, b. 10 May 1695.

Fogg.—Benoni Fogg, (117, 1st Ch., Dec. 5, 1742)), weaver, bap. 17 Mar. 1697, married. — —, — —, — —,

2 Mary Parker (54, 1st Ch. June 3, 1733, from 2d Church in Hampton; removed before 1736.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children: FOGG.

3 Mary; b. at Hampton. 8 May 1732; d. 29 [20?] June 1738 (p. 1036.)

4 Hannah [Anna?]; b. 5 May 1734; bap. 9 June 1734 (p. 491); d. 20 July 1738 (p. 1036.)

5 Jeremiah; b. 29 Dec. 1735; d. 2 July 1738 (p. 1036.)

6 David; b. 17 Mar. 1737; bap. 27 July 1738 (p. 493); d. 10 Oct. 1758 (p. 656.)

1 Benaiah Fogg married, 18 Aug. 1746, (pp. 653, 658),—

2 Esther Parker (dau. of Capt. James and Sarah Parker); b. 29 June 1729; (see No. 7, p. 828.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: ———.

Children: FOGG.

3 Mary; b. 11 Feb. 1748; bap. 4 June 1749 (p. 617.)

4 Benjamin; b. 17 Aug. 1751.

5 Esther; b. 31 Jan. 1754; bap. 4 Apr. 1754 (p. 663.)

6 Benaiah; b. 22 Oct. 1756; bap. 8 May 1757 (p. 665); private soldier in Revolutionary War.

7 David; b. 13 Apr. 1759.

Susanna Fogg, dau. of Sarah, bap. July 25, 1742 (p. 613.)

Elizabeth Fogg, adult, bap. Nov. 2, 1783 (p. 902.)

Mercy Fogg, 83, 1st Ch., Sept. 13, 1741, d. July 12, 1769, m. Edmund Chandler.

Abigail Fogg, 114, 1st Ch., Oct. 31, 1742, dis. to ch. in New Gloucester, July 11, 1790, m. Moses Bradbury.

Hannah Fogg [Foss?, p. 908], 212, 1st Ch., 1761, d. before 1793, m. Benjamin Brown.

Esther S. Fogg, 904, 1st Ch., July 4, 1833, dis. Aug. 21, 1839, to Bap. ch. Topsham.

Samuel Fogg (of Newell & Fogg, merchants), m. Lucy A. Stevens, 1087, 1st Ch., Apr. 10, 1850, from ch. in N. Gloucester.

GOOGIN [GOOKIN].—Roger Googin m. Nov. 10, 1760 (p. 658), Elizabeth Welch, and had, Olive, bap. May 11, 1766 (p. 717.)

GRIFFIN.—1 Ephraim Griffin (78, 1st Ch., Mar. 8, 1740, dis. to ch. in Freeport, Dec. 13, 1789), m., — —, — —, — —,

2 Mary ——— (161, 1st Ch., Dec. 31, 1749, dis. to ch. in

Freeport, Dec. 13, 1789.) Her name is "Mercy" in the body of the catalogue and "Mary" in the index.

Residence : North Yarmouth and Freeport, Me.

Occupation : Farmer.

Children :

GRIFFIN.

(6) 3 John ; b. July 18, 1738 ; bap. Apr. —, 1739 (p. 493.)

(9) 4 Ephraim ; b. June 13, 1740 ; bap. July 6, 1740 (p. 493.)

5 Henry ; b. June 1, 1751 ; bap. June 30, 1751 (p. 618) ; d. Sept. 23, 1753.

6 Seth ; b. Jan. 29, 1754 ; bap. Apr. 4, 1754 (p. 663.)

(3) John Griffin m., — —, — —, — —

7 Deborah — — (p. 749)

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation : — —.

Children :

GRIFFIN.

8 Jeremiah ; bap. Oct. 11, 1767 (p. 718.)

9 John ; bap. May 25, 1769 (p. 749.)

(4) Ephraim Griffin (Freeport, 1783, p. 902), m., —

10 Judith Blaisdell (279, 1st Ch., Apr. 4, 1783, dis. to ch. in Freeport, Dec. 13, 1789.)

Residence : North Yarmouth and Freeport, Me.

Occupation : — —.

Children :

GRIFFIN.

11 Christopher ; bap. Sept. 7, 1766 (p. 717.)

12 Daniel ; bap. Sept. 7, 1766 (p. 717.)

13 Mary ; bap. June 8, 1767 (p. 718.)

14 Levi ; bap. Apr. 28, 1771 (p. 751.)

15 Ephraim ; bap. Feb. 14, 1773 (p. 801.)

16 Judith ; bap. Sept. 10, 1775 (p. 804.)

17 Nicholas ; bap. Nov. 9, 1777 (p. 857.)

18 Naomi ; bap. July 9, 1783 (p. 902.)

19 Isaac ; bap. Apr. 29, 1787 (p. 905.)

1 Moses Griffin m., — —, — —, — —

2 — — — —.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation : — —.

Children :

GRIFFIN.

3 Hannah ; bap. July 19, 1761 (p. 714.)

4 Susanna ; bap. June 13, 1762 (p. 714.)

5 Moses ; bap. Oct. 21, 1764 (p. 715.)

6 [Son] ; bap. May 25, 1766 (p. 717.)

7 Jeremiah ; bap. Oct. 30, 1768 (p. 749.)

1 Samuel Griffin, of Freeport (p. 903), m., — —, — —, — —

2 Priscilla — —.

Residence : North Yarmouth and Freeport, Me.

Occupation : — —.

Children :

GRIFFIN.

3 Thomas Millett ; bap. Sept. 30, 1770 (p. 750.)

4 Miriam ; bap. Nov. 8, 1772 (p. 752.)

5 Samuel ; bap. Apr. 28, 1776 (p. 805.)

6 Bathsheba ; bap. Oct. 10, 1779 (p. 859.)

7 Reuben Gage ; bap. Mar. 4, 1783 (p. 901.)

8 Martha Merrill ; bap. Aug. 17, 1785 (p. 903.)

1 Jonathan Griffin m., — — —, — — —,

2 — — — — —.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation : — — —.

Children :

GRIFFIN.

3 Sarah ; bap. May 21, 1775 (p. 804.)

4 David ; bap. Apr. 28, 1776 (p. 805.)

5 Jonathan ; bap. recorded Oct. 10, 1779 (p. 859.)

(To be continued.)

THE MILITIA OF NORTH YARMOUTH IN EARLY TIMES.

[BY DR. CHARLES E. BANKS.]

When our forefathers landed in this country the necessity of a well-trained citizen-soldiery became immediately apparent. In a strange wilderness, peopled by a wily and savage race, they early made preparations for self-preservation,—so instinctively the prime law of life, and the item of “military affairs” soon became an important feature in their recorded deliberations. Their logic in relation to the matter was good : “***** for as piety cannot bee maintained without church ordinances & offic^{rs}, nor justice without laws & magistracy, no more can our safty & peace bee preserved without military orders & offic^{rs}.” It may be well to premise that previous to 1652, the present state of Maine was a sovereign province, but in that year the authorities of the Massachusetts Colony claimed this territory as far as the “grayish rock at y^e water’s edge, cleft in the middle,” that marks the boundary of Falmouth and Cumberland. This extension they claimed upon a re-examination of their patent, and a majority of the planters in the disputed region having signed the submission to Massachu-

setts, it passed under their control in the year above stated. It is therefore necessary to remember that the laws relating to the militia which will be cited, are those adopted by the authorities of Massachusetts and that they became applicable to this province after annexation in 1652.

The soldiery was composed of citizens between the ages of sixteen and sixty, able to bear arms, exception being made to the aged and infirm, the chief magistrates, elders of churches, physicians, scholars, deacons, millers, fishermen, constant herdsmen and court officers. They were directed to meet once a week for service, but this proving too onerous, the law was repealed, and from this frequent meeting they dropped at last, by degrees, to eight times a year. This system included instructions for the young, who were encouraged to use bows and arrows; and youths from ten to sixteen years who were invited to practice with small guns and half-pikes, if their parents were willing. The division of this force was similar to the present day, into regiments and companies, the smallest being the "train-band," which must contain at least fifty-four men.

With the election of officers of this vast system, we will not concern ourselves, as its paraphernalia never reached this region, and the present town of North Yarmouth only rejoiced in a train-band. The time of military exercise was called "Training Day," a name and custom that lingered in the affections of the people for nearly two centuries. Even now our older people can relate the dying glories of the annual training of the militia. The legal padding that surrounded this national day would puzzle a gray-haired justice, and it will be entertaining and instructive to learn minutely of their ideas of what a proper training-day should be.

"It is ordered, that if any trained solder shall be absent from traneing upon their traneing days, haveing lawful warning, shall forfeit 5s, & that it shall be lawfull for one of the sergients ap-poynted by the cap^t of the company to levye; unles within 2 days after it be demanded, the p^ty offending bring a certificate from the next Assistant that he had a necessary occacion to be absent."

If soldiers were delinquent and did not satisfactorily explain, they were made to "ride a wooden horse, or be put in bilboes, or to lie neck and heels." Drummers who had been refractory were compelled to drum for a certain time under penalty of further punishment.

For cursing or blaspheming the Holy Trinity, the tongue was bored with a hot iron; for insubordination or mutiny of any character, death; and for immoral crimes, severe corporal punishment or death, at discretion of officers. Intoxicating liquors were prohibited from sale on the ground, "because of late there has been too much drunkenness."

When the training was finished, any waste of ammunition by wanton discharge of muskets was punished by a fine.

"It is ordered that noe trayned soldier shall make any shott upon any training day but with bullets. at a m^{ke} by direction of the captaines under the penalty of xij^d for any such shott."

"It is ordered that all fforfectures for want of armes or not observeing traindays shall be distreyned by the clerke of the band where the offence is committed, whoe, together with the capt & other officers, shall have power to buy therewth the drumheads & such armes as poor men want and are not able to p'vide themselves of."

Not much data remains to the chronicler concerning the method of conducting a training and the detail of the manual of arms. At North Yarmouth the trainings were held upon "the necke where John Maine and John Holman formerly lived," probably about the centre of that region, which was laid out for a common (*vide Prop's. Records*) Prayer was offered at the opening and close of the day's drill, and a show of piety in all matters was enforced. The roll was called twice a day, forenoon and afternoon, before exercise, and it is probable that two general reviews were held daily. The drill-masters were ordered to "train theire men as if they wer to leade y^m forth against an ennemi." It would be an amusing sight to us now, could we look at those sham charges at stumps and fences and hand to hand combats with nobody. For a long time there was no music except the drum, but gradually this was complemented with fife and bugle. The only officers of the North Yarmouth militia whose names have been preserved are James Lane, "sargent of y^e companye at Westuckqua," and William Haynes, "clark of y^e band," (*York County Records*.)

These men were in office in 1665-6, and probably longer, but no further record appears. As before noted, North Yarmouth, from its small population, could not muster many men, and the train-band, with a sergeant for the chief officer, was the extent of the town's military glory. Undoubtedly this company formed a section of the larger organization at Falmouth.

Now let us take a look at the accoutrements of the colonial soldier, and see what armaments he carried to wage war against the enemy. His musket was to be at least 3 feet 9 inches in length, and not to exceed 4 feet 3 inches, provided with priming-wire, worm and scourer. These muskets of assorted sizes might be flint-lock or match-lock, at the option of the soldier, and in the latter case he was to have on his person two fathoms of match. Likewise he must carry one pound of powder, 20 bullets conveniently packed in bandoleers, which were leather belts with pouches, bound around the body. These arms and ammunition were to be inspected at each training, by the clerk of the band, and any deficiencies reported and punished with a fine. However,

all the soldiers were not musketeers, for a certain number of the largest men served as pikemen, and carried a staff about ten feet long, tipped with a spear-head, or often with a mere knife or piece of scythe tied upon a pole. The pikemen, who were placed in the front rank, were to be provided with iron corslets and helmets, whenever it was practicable, but the following order soon became necessary: "Whenever corslets for pikemen are scarce and many want them, pikemen are to have a buffe coate or quilted coate instead."

Add to these cumbrons trappings a heavy knapsack, and with an endless diversity in colors, the early militia must have presented a ludicrous appearance. However, they probably discarded all this superfluous regalia when in actual battle with the Indians. The sergeant commanding the trainband was armed with a halberd, which was a combination of an axe and spear, set on a long handle. He also carried a sword and pistol, as did the other minor officers.

The signal of alarm, in case of attack, was the firing of the beacon, discharge of four muskets, beating of the drum and the cry of "arme! arme!!" All this sounds very well on paper, but it is to be supposed that when a man's family was attacked by Indians he let beacons and drums work their own salvation, as best they could, and set to work defending his life and property.

This embryo militia became the foundation of our present system, and although it has a humorous tinge to this generation of readers, yet it was the forerunner of that martial spirit which developed so grandly in the late test of our nation's strength. The peaceful citizen suddenly became a man of battle, and the transformation seemed as natural as the change from youth to manhood.

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THE ELWELL FAMILY.

1 WILLIAM ELWELL, of Gloucester, Mass., by wife Elizabeth ——— (2), had children as follows:—

3 William; b. Sept. 6, 1733; d. ———.

4 Elizabeth; b. Dec. 10, 1736.

5 Willam; b. Jan. 9, 1741; (perhaps m. Anna Tarr in 1766 and had son William b. that year.) Is said to have moved to North Yarmouth or Freeport soon after his marriage and had a son William who was a mariner and was lost in Casco Bay (see pp. 394-395.)

(7) 6 Payne; b. in Gloucester, Mass., Apr. 8, 1744; d. Mar. 20, 1820.

7 Henry Butler; b. Mar. 27, 1746; probably m. Theodosia ———; had dau. Almira bap. at North Yarmouth Dec. 5, 1784 (see p. 903.)

(6) Payne Elwell (see p. 957) went in early life to New Gloucester, Maine, but soon settled in North Yarmouth. He joined the First Church at North Yarmouth, Aug. 4, 1791, as the 384th member. He purchased wild land to a considerable extent, and by his enterprise in business accumulated considerable property. He returned to Gloucester, Mass., about 1802, and for several years carried on the fishing business and foreign trade with success. Having secured a competent fortune, he purchased a farm in Bradford, Mass., and retired thither, but failed to obtain permanent enjoyment and repose. Injudicious purchases of real-estate to a large extent, added to other causes of embarrassment, compelled him to relinquish his property and return to his native place. He married, 1st, June 26, 1764,—

8 Rebecca Webber, daughter of Michael and Hannah Webber, of New Gloucester, Me., born Aug. 14, 1744. She was the 385th member of the First Church, Aug. 14, 1791. She died at Bradford, Aug. 26, 1815. He married, 2d, ———,—

9 Elizabeth Emerton (not Overton, as sometimes given), who died Feb. 9, 1858, aged 77 yrs. 9 mos. and 11 days (see page 395.

Children:

ELWELL.

10 Rebecca; b. at Gloucester, June 19, 1765; m. Henry Perry; 2 grandchildren living in 1883; she d. before 1820.

(61) 11 Payne; b. at New Gloucester, Aug. 7, 1767; d. at Waldoboro, Me., Aug. 21, 1840.

12 Lydia; b. at New Gloucester, Apr. 10, 1772; d. at Yarmouth, Mar. 4, 1863; m. Ebenezer Corliss, of North Yarmouth, Apr. 10, 1790; for family in full see pp. 287-288, Nos. 47-57; see also p. 911, which is in error.

13 John; b. at New Gloucester, Feb. 20, 1775; d. before 1819; had children, see his father's will.

14 Sarah; b. at New Gloucester, Oct. 2, 1777; m. George Allen; had ch. George, res. Waldoboro, Me., 1875; Lydia, who m. ——— Abbott (now dead), res. Lawrence Mass.; another dau., ———, m. ——— Pettingill (now dead), res. Haverhill, Mass.; also daus. Sarah and Polly, both d. at Waldeboro. Mrs. Allen m. 2d, Caleb Williams, and had son Payne Elwell Williams who was living in 1820.

15 Robert; b. at New Gloucester, Aug. 22, 1779; d. about 1824-1828, in New York City; in business with father; colonel of militia, Gloucester, Mass.; married, no children, adopted two who are still living.

(18) 16 Esther; b. at Gloucester, Mass., June 29, 1782: d.

Nov. 29, 1856.

17 William; b. at North Yarmouth, Aug. 7, 1783 (see p. 902); d. in Me. (another authority says he married, lived and died in Bradford, Mass.)

18 Samuel; b. at North Yarmouth, Aug. [Oct.?] 15, 1787 (see p. 905); d. June 4, 1823; m. Rachel Dolliver Sawyer, Oct. 12, 1811; had Ann Jane, b. Dec. 11, 1812, who m. Addison Proctor, Mar. 4, 1838, and their only child, Caroline Sawyer, b. about 1840, m. Thomas J. Knowles, Mar. 2, 1862, and resides in Gloucester, Mass. Mrs. Elwell m., 2d, Cyrus Stevens, and is now (1883) living in Gloucester in her 98th year, having been b. in Feb., 1786; she was a sister of Charles Sawyer, No 64, p. 288, who m. Sally Corliss.

(16) Esther Elwell married, — —, — —, — —,

19 Montgomery Sargent, b. at Gloucester, Mass., July —, 1781; d. at Parkman, Me., Jan. 14, 1862 (see p. 911.)

Residence: Guilford, Me.

Occupation: Tailor.

Children:

SARGENT.

(23) 20 Increase Sumner; b. at N. Yarmouth, Apr. 23, 1803; d. at Portland, May 9, 1879.

(29) 21 Rebecca Elwell.

(33) 22 Esther.

(39) 23 Betsey Elwell.

(20) Increase Sumner Sargent married, June 13, 1825,—

24 Judith H. Loring (see No. 65, p. 883, and Nos. 144-6, p. 925); b. at Minot, Me., May 15, 1805; living 1883.

Residence: Parkman, Me.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children:

SARGENT.

25 Hannah Esther; b. at Guilford, Me., Oct. 5, 1828; m., May —, 1849, Joel Prince; ch. Benjamin Franklin and George Washington.

(44) 26 Herbert Reading; b. at Parkman, June 20, 1836.

(51) 27 William Henry; b. at Parkman, Feb. 14, 1841.

28 Charles Loring; b. at Parkman, Apr. 26, 1843; d. Oct. 12, 1845.

(56) 29 Mary Eliza; b. at Parkman, Aug. 20, 1847; d. Dec. 8, 1876, at Dexter, Me.

(21) Rebecca Elwell Sargent married, — —, — —, — —,

30 Josiah Lamson, of Essex, Mass.

Children:

LAMSON.

31 Mary Jane.

32 Augusta.

33 Albion.

(22) Esther Sargent married, June 6, 1824,—

34 John Morrill, of Buckfield, Me. She married, 2d,—

35 Thomas B. Seabury, of Parkman, Me.

Children : MORRILL.

36 John J.

37 William L.

38 Lewis.

39 Charles.

(23) Betsey Elwell Sargent married, — —, ———,—

40 Howard Turner ; d. Nov. 6, 1836.

Residence : Guilford, Me.

Occupation : Farmer.

Children : TURNER.

41 Robinson.

42 Julia L.

43 Zadoc L.

44 George H.

(26) Herbert Reading Sargent married, Nov. 20, 1860,—

45 Abba Wait Fernald ; b. Sept. 30, 1838 ; d. June 14, 1868. He married, 2d, Mar. 24, 1869,—

46 Eleanor Whiting Sargent, of Sedgwick, Me., b. Sept. 30, 1840.

Residence : Portland, Me.

Occupation : Captain 31st and 32d Me. Infantry ; clerk in the custom-house (p. 925) ; deputy-sheriff.

Children : SARGENT.

47 Jennie Parsons ; b. Dec. 21, 1861.

48 Herbert Knox ; b. Nov. 5, 1864.

49 Abba Wait ; b. Mar. 31, 1868 ; d. Aug. 25, 1868.

50 Hattie Eleanor ; b. Feb. 11, 1871.

51 Mary Redman ; b. Mar. 19, 1874 ; d. Aug. 19, 1874.

(27) William Henry Sargent married, — —, ———,—

52 Eglena Files. He married, 2d, — —, ———,—

53 Elizabeth Bearce.

Residence : Portland, Me.

Occupation : Trader.

Children : SARGENT.

54 Edith ; b. Sept. 12, 1869.

55 Eglena ; b. 1871.

56 Edith (by 2d wf.) ; b. Aug. 15, 1880.

(29) Mary Eliza Sargent married, Sept. 12, 1868,—

57 Thomas Arnold ; d. Mar. 13, 1876.

Residence : Parkman, Me.

Occupation : Farmer.

Children :

ARNOLD

58 Inez May ; b. May 19, 1869.

59 Lillian Loring ; b. Sept. 12, 1870 ; d. Apr. 13, 1879

60 William Herbert ; b. Sept. 9, 1872.

61 Harriet Thomas ; b. Jan. 4. 1874.

(11) Payne Elwell (386th member of the First Church, No. Yarmouth, Me.), married, Apr. 16, 1789,—

69 Lucy Staples, of No. Yarmouth, born Jan. [June?] 3, 1766 ; d. Apr. 14, 1821 (bap. Sept. 14, 1766, see p. 717 ; dau. of Daniel Staples.) He married, 2d, Sept. 18, 1822,—

70 Sally Gee Rogers ; b. at Gloucester, Mass., Oct. 27, 1784 ; d. at Waldoboro, Me., Dec. 24, 1862.

Residence : North Yarmouth, and Waldoboro, Me.

Occupation : Merchant.

Children :

ELWELL.

(81) 71 John ; b. at No. Yarmouth, May 17, 1790 (see p. 941) ; d. at Brooklyn, N. Y., Aug. —, 1847.

(73) 72 Rebecca ; b. at No. Yarmouth, Nov. 6, 1791 (see p. 942) ; d. at Waldoboro, Feb. 22, 1820.

(77) 73 Rebecca ; b. at Gloucester, Mass., June 27, 1823.

(72) Rebecca Elwell married, Aug. 26, 1816,—

74 Rev. David Meaubecc Mitchell, of No. Yarmouth, (No. 52, p. 250) ; b. May 9, 1788 ; d. Nov. 27 [22?], 1869 [1870?]

Children :

MITCHELL.

75 David Meaubecc ; b. May 25 [15?], 1817 ; d. July 15 [6?], 1818.

76 Edward Francis ; b. May 25 [15?], 1817 ; d. June 3 [Ju.y 4?], 1841.

77 Lucy Ann ; b. May 24, 1819 ; d. Apr. 21, 1839.

(73) Rebecca Elwell married, Aug. 27, 1844,—

78 Isaac S. Kaler, of Waldoboro, Me. ; b. at Waldoboro, Nov. 19, 1816 ; d. Jan. 31, 1877.

Children :

KALER.

79 Samuel Payne ; b. Aug. 27, 1846 ; res. Bath, Me.

80 Elizabeth Maria ; b. Sept. 30, 1852 ; d. June 24, 1854.

81 Harvey Stone ; b. Oct. 13, 1859 ; d. Aug. 3, 1862.

(71) John Elwell married, Apr. 22, 1816,—

82 Mary Sprague ; b. at Topsham Me., Aug. 27, 1795.

Residence : Gloucester, Mass. ; Waldoboro, and Bath, Me.

Children :

ELWELL.

83 [Boy]; b. 1817; d. young.

84 Mary Frances; b. 1823; d. young.

(98) 85 John Payne; b. at Bath, Feb. 27, 1818.

(90) 86 James William; b. at Bath, Aug. 27, 1820.

87 Maria Sanford; b. Feb. 26, 1826; m. Hon. Augustus Street, East Haven, Conn.

(125) 88 Joseph Sprague; b. Apr. 23, 1828.

89 Charles Frederick; b. July 13, 1830; res. Brooklyn, N. Y.; one son, two daughters.

90 Frances Sanford; b. Nov. 29, 1832; m., Apr. 27, 1852, Henry A. Moore, County Judge, Brooklyn, N. Y.

(86) James William Elwell married, July 16, 1844,—

91 Olivia P. Robinson; b. at Bath, Me., Feb. 21, 1819; d. Feb. 14, 1851. He married, 2d, May 6, 1852,—

92 Lucy E. K. Stinson, daughter of David Stinson of Bath, a half-sister of Samuel G. Stinson.

Residence: Brooklyn, N. Y.

Occupation: Broker (Jas. W. Elwell & Co., N. York City.)

Children: ELWELL.

93 William Robinson; b. at Brooklyn, Apr. 21, 1845; d. at Mobile, Ala., July 9, 1865.

94 Charles Thomas; b. Sept. 25, 1846; d. Jan. 15, 1849.

95 Olivia Wealthy; b. Mar. 9, 1848; m. Henry F. Simon, Jan. 6, 1876.

96 Lucy Stinson; b. June 21, 1853.

97 James William; b. 1855; d. 1855.

98 Jane Reid; b. Oct. 21, 1857.

(85) John Payne Elwell received a substantial education in his native town, Bath, Me. At the age of fifteen years he moved to Brooklyn, N. Y., and entered business as clerk with Elwell & Taylor, shipping and commission merchants, New York City. In 1841, he commenced business for himself as ship and freight broker, in which he has continued ever since, and is now the oldest freight broker in the city. During his whole life he has been a student. He married, Aug. 23, 1841,—

99 Catherine Duryea; b. Oct. 2, 1823, at New Town, Long Island; d. Dec. 11, 1877.

Children: ELWELL.

100 Cornelius R.; b. Aug. —, 1842; d. young.

(107) 101 Mary Sprague; b. Oct. 25, 1843.

(111) 102 John Duryea; b. Dec. 30, 1845.

(115) 103 Joseph Sanford; b. Apr. 27, 1848.

(122) 104 Cornelius R.; b. Sept. —, 1850.

105 Anna Aleta; b. Jan. 17, 1855.

106 James Halsey; b. Jan. 15, 1860.

107 Sara Elizabeth ; b. July 29, 1865.

(101) Mary Sprague Elwell married, July --, 1866,—

108 James L. H. Elmendorf ; a physician ; d. Dec. 1880.

Children : ELMENDORF.

109 Mahlon Clark ; b. July 18, 1867.

110 Joseph Duryea ; b. Sept. 11, 1868.

111 Frederick Elwell ; b. Nov. 10, 1870.

(102) John Duryea Elwell married, Sept. 10, 1870,—

112 Maria W. Huntington.

Children : ELWELL.

113 Theodora Katherine ; b. Jan. —, 1872.

114 Elizabeth Huntington ; b. July —, 1873.

115 Cecelia ; b. Feb. —, 1881 ; d. ———.

(103) Joseph Sanford Elwell married, Nov. —, 1870,—

116 Janette Fisher.

Children : ELWELL.

117 Grace Augustena ; b. Aug. 10, 1871.

118 Joseph Bowne ; b. Feb. 24, 1873.

119 Helen ; b. Sept. 19, 1874.

120 Walter Fisher ; b. Mar. 24, 1878.

121 Catherine Duryea ; b. Aug. 19, 1879.

122 Edward Prince ; b. Jan. 12, 1883.

(104) Cornelius R. Elwell married, Feb. 11, 1874,—

123 Lottie Decker.

Children : ELWELL.

124 Jessie Louise ; b. Apr. 4, 1876.

125 Harry D. ; b. Mar. 15, 1880.

(88) Joseph Sprague Elwell married, Jan. 29, 1857,—

126 Rachel J. Patten, daughter of William Patten of Richmond, Maine.

Residence : Philadelphia, Penn.

Occupation : Sea-captain, from Dec. 1841 to Aug. 1866 ; Ship-chandler.

Children : ELWELL.

127 William P. ; b. Jan. 19, 1858.

128 Rachel Josephine ; b. Jan. 29, 1869 ; d. Jan. 21, '74.

—o—

PAYNE ELWELL'S WILL.

In the name of God, amen. I, Payne Elwell, of Gloucester,

Cape Ann, in the County of Essex, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, merchant, do make and constitute this my last will and testament, in form following, namely:—

I order and direct that all my debts be paid, and my funeral expenses, as soon as convenient after my decease, by my executor hereafter named. I give and devise to my beloved wife, Elizabeth Elwell, & \$2000,00 for her use and to her heirs and assigns forever. I also give and devise to my beloved wife aforesaid that part of the dwelling-house, store and garden, with all the privileges thereto appertaining, which I now occupy and improve; also all my household goods and furniture for and during her natural life; the said same \$2000,00 to be paid to my said wife as soon as convenient after my decease..

I hereby authorize and empower my Executor, hereafter to be named, to sell and convey by good and sufficient deeds or bills of sale or other conveyances, either at public or private sale, as he may think will be for the interest of those concerned, all real and personal estate which shall remain after my decease, and pay over the proceeds thereof to the several legatees named in this will, or their legal representatives, as soon as convenient.

I also direct and authorize my Executor, after the decease of my said beloved wife, to sell the real estate which she is to improve and occupy, and divide the proceeds as aforesaid. I give and devise to my surviving children, Payne Elwell, Lydia Corliss, Sarah Williams, Robert Elwell, Esther Sargent and Samuel Elwell, to each equally, one-eighth part of the proceeds of the sale of said real and personal estate. I give and devise to the children of my deceased daughter, Rebecca Perry, their heirs and assigns, one-eighth part of the proceeds aforesaid, to be equally divided between them. And to the children of my deceased son, John Elwell, their heirs and assigns, one-eighth part of the proceeds aforesaid, to be equally divided between them.

It is my will and direction, that all the household goods and furniture, which shall remain at the decease of my wife, be equally divided between Payne Elwell Williams, son of Caleb Williams, and Payne Elwell Corliss, son of Ebenezer Corliss. I also give and devise to Payne Elwell Williams my gold-headed cane.

It is my wish and direction, that my remains, and my wife's, at

our decease, be deposited in my tomb in the said town of Gloucester. I hereby appoint Charles Smith, of Gloucester, aforesaid, the sole Executor of this my last will and testament, and I do hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

Given under my hand and seal, at Gloucester, this 26th day of October, 1819.

PAYNE ELWELL (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Payne Elwell, to be his last will and testament, in presence of us, who, at his request, and in his presence, have subscribed our names as witnesses.

HENRY PHELPS.

AARON PARSONS.

WINTHROP PARSONS.

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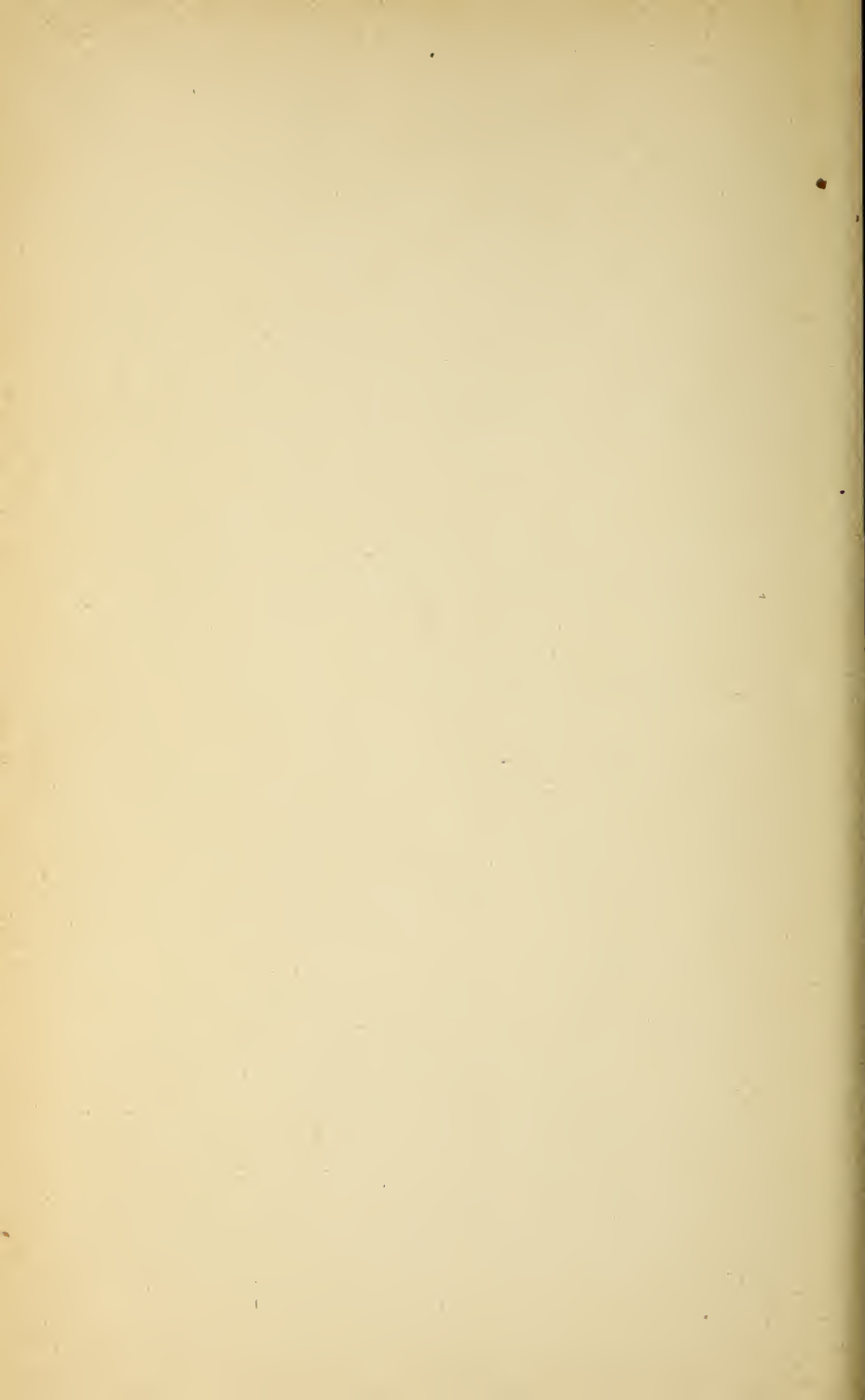
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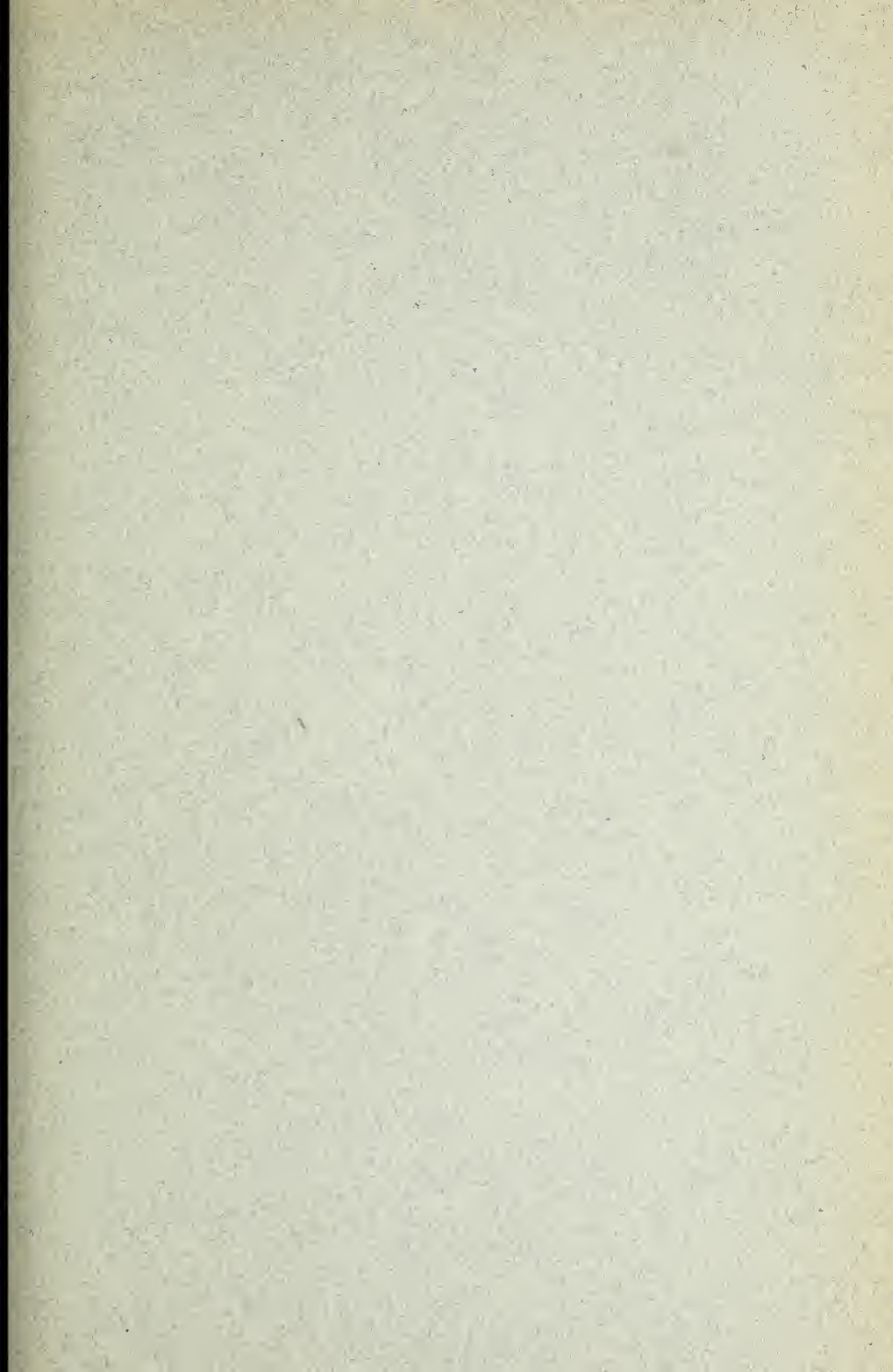
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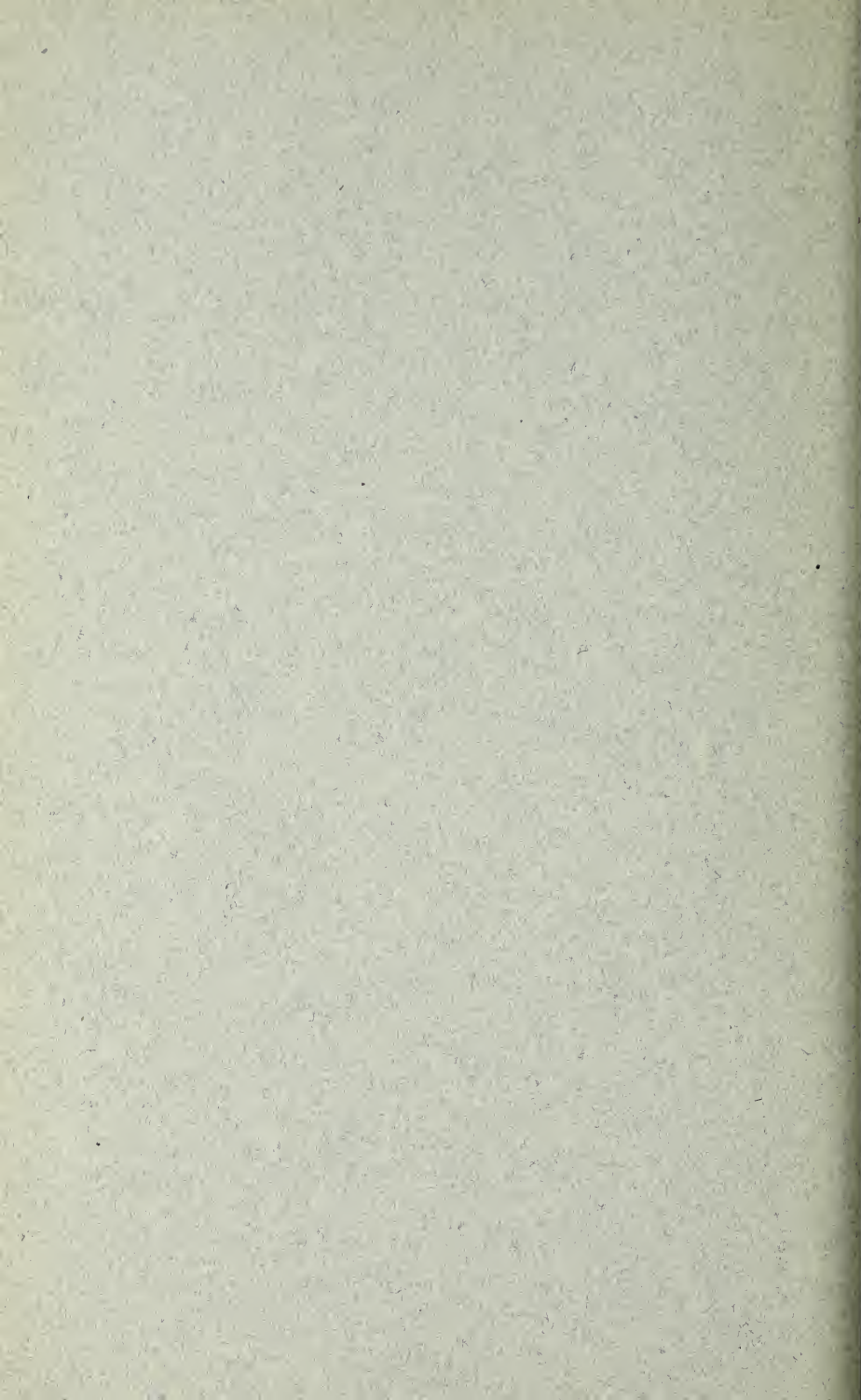
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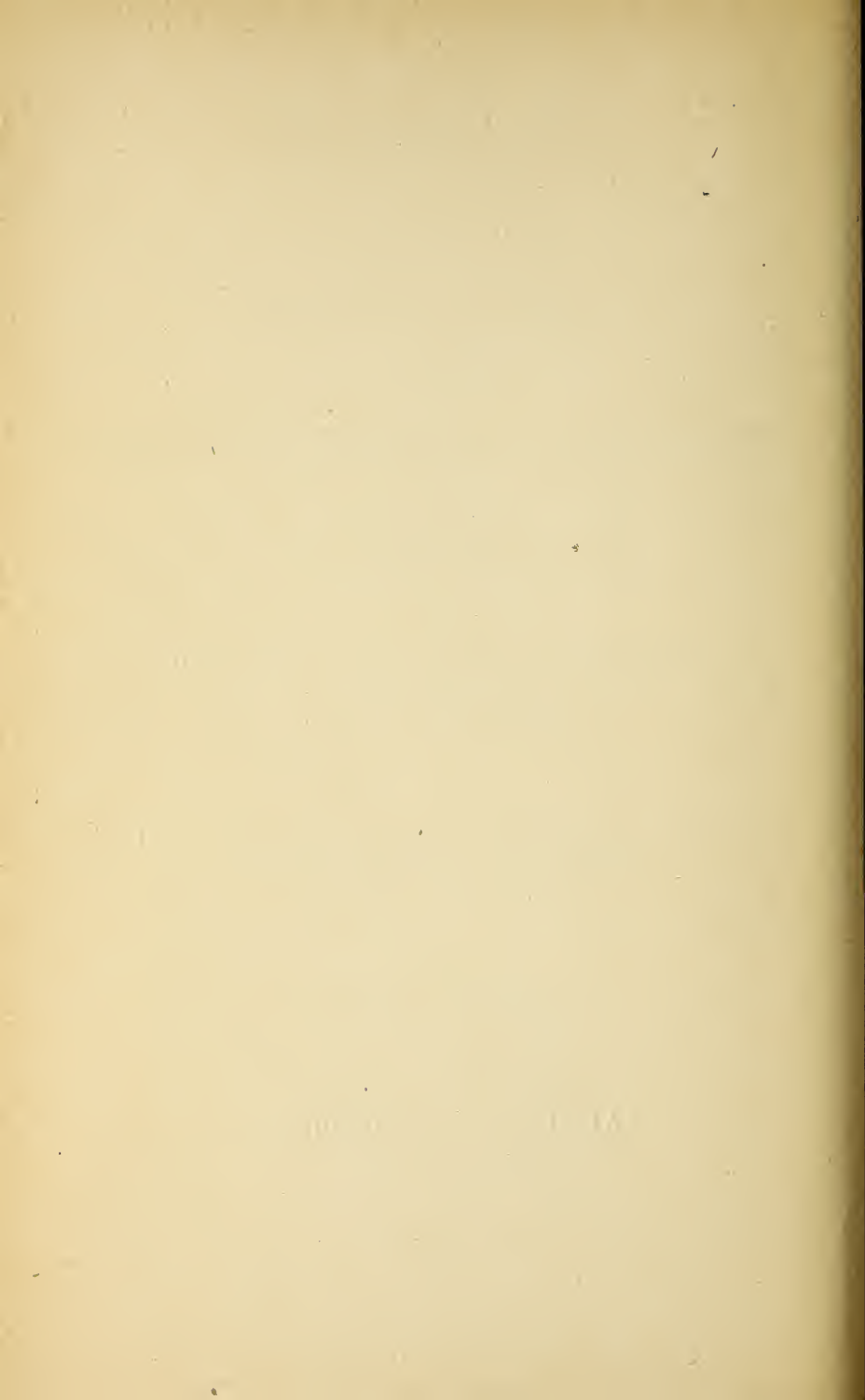
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THE LUFKIN FAMILY.

[BY EDGAR R. DOW.]

(3) 1 Nathaniel Lufkin; b. about 1755; d. in North Yarmouth, Maine, Feb. 19, 1838.

(15) 2 Rachel Lufkin; b. ———; d. Oct. 19, 1823.

(30) 3 Lucy Lufkin; b. ———; d. May 9, 1840.

(1) Nathaniel Lufkin (399, 1st Ch., Sept. 4, 1791, dis. to Ch. in Cumberland, Sept. 5, 1793), married, ———, ———, ———,

4 Rachel Butler (400, 1st Ch.) He married, 2d.—

5 Mehitable Haskell, of Gloucester, who died Nov. 26, 1837.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children: LUFKIN.

(34) 6 Jacob Butler; b. May —, 1778; d. Oct. 12, 1848
(see p. 941.)

(46) 7 Nehemiah; b. July —, 1781; d. Jan. 6, 1871.

(56) 8 Nathaniel; b. Sept. —, 1788; d. Apr. 7, 1881.

(68) 9 Lydia (see p. 941.)

10 Mary; bap. Sept. 22, 1791 (p. 941.)

11 Mary; bap. Dec. 2, 1792 (p. 943); m. Daniel Rice,
b. July 12, 1787.

(80) 12 Asa (see p. 941.)

(82) 13 Seth S.; d. Sept. 8, 1877.

(89) 14 William; d. May 1, 1878.

15 Eliza; b. 1804; d. Mar. 7, 1848.

(2) Rachel Lufkin (371, 1st Ch.), married,—
 16 Deacon William Hamilton (370, 1st Ch.) ; b. July —, 1762 (see pages 715, 1048) ; son of John and Mary (Mason) Hamilton ; d. Mar. 10, 1849.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Children : HAMILTON.

- 17 Jonas ; b. July 6, 1788 (see p. 941.)
- 18 Lucy ; b. Dec. 6, 1789 ; d. Sept. 28, 1791.
- (92) 19 William ; b. Dec. 2, 1791.
- 20 Rachel ; b. July 19, 1794 ; d. Jan. 12, 1877 ; m. Jan. 21, 1816, Charles Porter, b. June 10, 1795, d. Apr. 3, 1861.
- (96) 21 Mary ; b. July 11, 1796.
- 22 Nathaniel ; b. Sept. 5, 1798 ; d. Sept. 16, 1798.
- 23 Lydia ; b. Dec. 7, 1799 ; d. Jan. 21, 1883.
- 24 Alfred ; b. July 13, 1802.
- 25 Hannah A. ; b. July 1, 1804 ; d. Mar. 20, 1814.
- 26 Sarah ; b. Oct. 1, 1807.
- 27 Alvin ; b. Sept. 7, 1810.
- 28 Martha ; b. Aug. 30, 1813 ; d. Oct. 11, 1814.

(3) Lucy Lufkin (353, 1st Ch.), married, — — —,—
 29 Samuel Bacon (352, 1st Ch.) ; d. Aug. 23, 1819.

She married, 2d, — — —,—

30 Col. Isaac Parsons.

Children : BACON.

- (98) 31 Lydia ; b. Dec. 19, 1780 ; d. Apr. 3, 1838.
- (108) 32 Samuel ; b. Mar. 16, 1779.
- 33 Mary ; b. Jan. 16, 1782.
- 34 Nathaniel ; b. July 13, 1786 ; d. Mar. 25, 1872 ; m. Sarah M. Gray.

(6) Jacob Butler Lufkin married, Jan. 18, 1802,—
 35 Elizabeth Ludden, (daughter of Joseph and Sarah, p. 860) ; b. Apr. 17, 1782 ; d. Feb. 29, 1860.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Children : LUFKIN.

- 36 David ; b. Oct. 22, 1803.
- (114) 37 Joseph ; b. July 5, 1805.
- (120) 38 Jacob Butler ; b. July 12, 1807 ; d. Sept. —, 1871.
- (127) 39 Mary ; b. May 21, 1809.
- 40 Elizabeth ; b. June 22, 1811 ; m. John Howard Humphrey ; for family see Nos. 277-279, p. 892.
- (129) 41 Asa Almond ; b. July 15, 1813.
- (136) 42 Nathaniel ; b. July 13, 1815.
- (141) 43 David Tileston ; b. Aug. 30, 1817.
- 44 Sarah ; b. Apr. 20, 1819 ; m. James Joseph Humphrey ; for family see Nos. 281-289, p. 892.

(146) 45 Sidney ; b. Mar. 19, 1821.

46 John ; b. Apr. 17, 1825 ; d. Oct. 18, 1827.

(7) Nehemiah Lufkin married, Dec. 1, 1814,—

47 Susan Maxfield ; d. May 10, 1817, He married, 2d,
Oct. 15, 1818.—

48 Bethiah B. Maxfield ; b. Sept. 28, 1800 ; d. Aug.
15, 1864.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Children : LUFKIN.

(151) 49 Susan ; b. May 4, 1817.

(173) 50 Lucy ; b. Jan. 31, 1819 ; d. May 17, 1877.

51 A son ; b. Jan. 4, 1824 ; d. June 14, 1824.

52 A son ; d. Jan. —, 1825.

(207) 53 Elizabeth ; b. Nov. 9, 1825.

54 Mary Ann ; b. Dec. 21, 1830.

55 A child ; b. July 5, 1832 ; d. Aug. 19, 1832.

56 Rachel H. ; b. 1832 ; d. June 20, 1864.

(8) Nathaniel Lufkin married,—

57 Lucy H. Sargent ; d. Aug. 9, 1824. He married, 2d,
May 7, 1826,—

58 Priscilla Prince (No 72, p. 727) ; b. May 30, 1796.
He married, 3d, Mar. 6, 1842,—

59 Sarah Hanson ; d. Feb. 3, 1869.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Children : LUFKIN.

60 Mary Lydia ; b. July 16, 1810.

61 Rufus H. ; b. Mar. 7, 1812 ; d. June 15, 1872 ; (No.
1041, 1st Ch.) ; m. Almira Leonard (1042, 1st Ch.), b. June 7,
1806, d. Apr. 28, 1869.

62 Samuel S. ; b. May 10, 1814.

63 Lucy S. ; b. Dec. 10, 1816.

(By 2d wife.)

64 Martha ; b. Oct. 26, 1826.

65 Ann M. ; b. Dec. 9, 1828.

(By 3d wife.)

66 Nathaniel.

67 William.

68 ———.

(9) Lydia Lufkin married,—

69 Daniel Chase.

Residence : Minot, and North Yarmouth, Me.

Children : CHASE.

70 Daniel Lufkin ; b. at Minot, Feb. 20, 1808 ; lost at
sea, Feb. 10, 1829.

- 71 Ambrose ; b. at No. Yarmouth, Mar. 24, 1810.
 72 John ; b. Mar. 25, 1811.
 73 Mary ; b. Jan. 14, 1814.
 74 Lydia Storer ; b. Oct. 20, 1816 ; d. Apr. 28, 1837.
 75 Betsey Jewell ; b. Oct. 20, 1816.
 76 Louisa ; b. Mar. 22, 1820.
 77 Enoch ; b. Apr. 4, 1822 ; d. do.
 78 Lucy ; b. Mar. 15, 1823.
 79 Jane Buxton ; b. June 22, 1824 ; d. May 27, 1858.
 80 William ; b. Feb. 15, 1829.

(12) Asa Lufkin married,—

81 Hannah Bailey ; b. about 1797.

Children : LUFKIN.

(161) 82 Abraham Parker ; b. Oct. 1, 1816.

(13) Seth S. Lufkin married, Jan. 22, 1822,—

83 Deborah S. Marshall ; b. Oct. 14, 1796 ; d. Apr. 24, 1845. He married, 2d, Apr. 28, 1846,—

84 Mrs. Mary E. Marshall ; b. Oct. —, 1805 ; d. Jan. 25, 1882.

Residence : New Gloucester, and Paris, Me.

Children : LUFKIN.

85 Eliza ; b. at N. G., Mar. 23, 1823 ; d. Dec. —, 1847.

86 Mary Ann Woodman ; b. in P., June 23, 1825.

87 James M. ; b. Oct. 28, 1827.

88 William S. ; b. Mar. 28, 1830.

89 Sarah ; m. ——— Flanders.

(14) William Lufkin married, June 17, 1833,—

90 Sarah Batchelder.

Residence : North Yarmouth.

Children : LUFKIN.

(166) 91 Abraham Parker ; b. Mar. 28, 1834.

92 Sarah Elizabeth ; b. Feb. 2, 1837.

(19) William Hamilton married.—

93 Ann G. Weeks ; b. 1800 ; d. Apr. 25, 1861.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Children : HAMILTON.

94 Martha Ann ; b. Sept. 16, 1819.

95 Elizabeth Jane ; b. Aug. 9, 1827 ; d. July 27, 1828.

96 Henry Osgood ; b. June 1, 1829.

(21) Mary Hamilton married,—

97 John W. Gookin ; b. about 1788 ; d. Nov. 1, 1856.

Children : GOOKIN.

98 Mary E. ; m. George W. Abbott.

(31) Lydia Bacon married,—

99 Jacob Chase ; d. Jan. 9, 1853.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Children : CHASE.

100 Mary D. ; b. Dec. 1, 1798.

(182) 101 Lucy B. ; b. Sept. 12, 1800 ; d. Oct. 22, 1861.

(190) 102 Samuel B. ; b. Nov. —, 1803 ; d. Feb. 3, 1857.

(199) 103 Eliza B. ; b. Apr. 14, 1809 ; d. Mar. 13, 1837.

(201) 104 Lydia ; b. Jan. 27, 1811.

105 Jacob ; b. Oct. 13, 1812 ; d. Feb. 21, 1839.

106 Rufus A. ; m. Hepsibah Titcomb.

107 Frances Barry ; b. 1820 ; d. Apr. 27, 1845 ; m. Capt.

Paul Greely Blanchard, b. Oct. 24, 1808 (see No. 192, p. 789.)

108 Henry B.

(32) Samuel Bacon married,—

109 Ruth Durkee ; d. Dec. 6, 1848.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Children : BACON.

110 Lucy ; b. May 8, 1803 ; d. Feb. 21, 1859 ; m. John H. Merrill, who d. Sept. —, 1876.

111 Samuel ; b. Nov. 3, 1804.

• 112 Amasa ; b. Aug. 20, 1806.

113 George Washington ; b. Aug. 15, 1811 ; d. in Cal.

114 Lydia Frost ; b. Feb. 22, 1813.

(37) Joseph Lufkin married,—

115 Mary C. Merrill.

Children : LUFKIN.

116 John Edwin ; m. Chloe Bagg.

117 Joseph Henry.

118 Herbert ; m. Nettie Hooper.

119 Orrin Augustus ; m. Jennie Winters.

120 Mary Ann ; m. William H. Thomas.

(38) Jacob Butler Lufkin married, Feb. 1, 1832,—

121 Lydia B. Baston.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me. (see p. 951.)

Occupation : Butcher ; Farmer.

Children : LUFKIN.

122 George Allen ; b. Dec. 16, 1832 ; d. Apr. 24, 1838.

123 Asa Orland ; b. Oct. 12, 1834.

124 Sarah Woods ; b. Jan. 6, 1837 ; m. ——— Bolter.

125 Bradford ; b. Dec. 8, 1838.

126 Elizabeth Humphrey ; b. Oct. 14, 1842 ; d. Dec. '50.

127 Lydia Augusta ; b. May 6, 1844 ; d. July 11, 1851.

(39) Mary Lufkin married, Sept. 9. 1838,—
128 Joseph K. Tarbox.

Residence : Cambridgeport, Mass.

Children : TARBOX.

129 Sarah ; b. Feb. 16, 1846 ; m., Oct. 3, 1864, John D. Willis, of Bridgewater, b. Aug. 9, 1835.

(41) Asa Almond Lufkin married, Apr. 9, 1845,—

130 Almira Dennison ; b. about 1822 ; d. Mar. 9, 1876.

He married, 2d, Oct. 16, 1877,—

131 Lucy H. Porter ; b. in N. Yarmouth, Apr. 21, 1820.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Children : LUFKIN.

132 Albert Osgood ; b. May 3, 1846 ; d. Mar. 2, 1871.

(168) 133 Jacob Butler ; b. Mar. 29, 1849.

134 Frank W. ; b. June 15, 1853 ; d. Mar. 6, 1873.

135 Ella ; b. Apr. 25, 1858 ; m., Oct. 15, 1878, Edgar R.

Dow, b. in Mechanic Falls, Me., Oct. 23, 1854 ; res. Portland.

136 George A. ; b. Mar. 19, 1863.

(42) Nathaniel Lufkin married,—

137 Jane Merrill.

Children : LUFKIN.

138 Augustus Nathaniel ; b. in Orrington, Me., June 2, 1837 ; served in war of 1861-65 in Army of Potomac and also in Texas ; captain of colored troops ; railroad official ; now farmer and teacher.

139 Emery.

140 Rosanna.

141 Julia.

(43) David Tileston Lufkin married,—

142 Ann Smith.

Residence : Freeport, Cal.

Children : LUFKIN.

143 Clara.

144 Harry.

145 Mary.

146 Julia.

(45) Sidney Lufkin married,—

147 Mary Ann Bamblet.

Children : LUFKIN.

148 George Washington.

149 Mary.

150 Elmer.

151 Jesse.

152 Edward.

153 Willie.

(49) Susan Lufkin married, Feb. 15, 1838,—

154 Joseph Low; b. 1811; d. Feb. 4, 1848, in Cuba.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Children: LOW.

155 Martha Susan; b. May 28, 1838; m. Roswell Greely.

156 Robert Maxfield; b. Sept. 15, 1839; d. June 16, '64,
in the Army.

157 Amelia Frances; b. July 31, 1840.

158 Charles Edwin; b. Jan. 14, 1843; d. Oct. 11, 1847.

159 Joseph Henry; b. Feb. 15, 1845; d. Mar. 9, 1847.

160 Sarah Elizabeth; b. Oct. 15, 1846; m. Warren Tit-
comb, b. Jan. 27, 1845.

161 Josephine; b. Aug. 1, 1848.

(82) Abraham Parker Lufkin married,—

162 Mary Ann Stone.

Residence: Galveston, Texas.

Occupation: Trader.

Children: LUFKIN.

163 Sarah Manly; b. Mar. 5, 1822; m. Sewell C. Homer,
a blacksmith; one son and one daughter.

164 Eliza Ann; b. May 23, 1827; m. John Lane, of
Bangor.

165 ———.

166 ———.

(91) Abraham Parker Lufkin married, Oct. 19, 1858,—

167 ———.

Children: LUFKIN.

168 Gracie.

(133) Jacob Butler Lufkin married, Mar. 18, 1874,—

169 Kate Bruce.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Children: LUFKIN.

170 Willis Asa; b. Feb. 19, 1875; d. July 26, 1880.

171 Albert Milton; b. Apr. 19, 1877.

172 Joseph Tarbox; b. Aug. 31, 1878.

173 Asa Willard; b. Apr. 27, 1882.

(50) Lucy Lufkin married, Sept. 10, 1844,—

174 Andrew R. Baston; b. May 31, 1820; d. May 17, '77.

(See No. 72, p. 916, and Nos. 186-194, p. 920.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation : Farmer.

Children :

BASTON.

- 175 Olive R. ; b. June 29, 1845.
- 176 Marcia A. ; b. Aug. 25, 1849 ; d. Apr. 2, 1850.
- 177 Sewall ; b. Oct. 9, 1850.
- 178 Edwin ; b. Aug. 30, 1852.
- 179 Hobart L. ; b. May 17, 1854 ; d. Oct. 24, 1877.
- 180 Andrew R. ; b. Mar. 1, 1856 ; d. Jan. 7, 1878.
- 181 Lucy Jane ; b. Mar. 2, 1860.
- 182 Isabel G. ; b. Mar. 6, 1865.

(101) Lucy B. Chase married,—

183 Dr. Amos Osgood : b. Mar. 23, 1798.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Children :

OSGOOD.

- 184 William ; b. Nov. 12, 1825.
- 185 Eliza ; b. May 4, 1827.
- 186 James Albert ; b. Dec. 2, 1830 ; d. Aug. 25, 1851.
- 187 Amos Jones ; b. Oct. 26, 1832.
- 188 Henry S. : b. Nov. 17, 1834.
- 189 Charles E. ; b. Oct. 9, 1838 ; d. Mar. 16, 1846.
- 190 Ann L. ; b. ——— ; d. Mar. 16, 1846.

(102) Samuel B. Chase married,—

191 Abigail Dodge ; b. Mar. —, 1805 ; d. Feb. 20, 1872.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Children :

CHASE.

- 192 Samuel B. ; b. Oct. 2, 1826.
- 193 Abigail Gilman ; b. Sept. 24, 1828 ; d. Dec. 10, '75 ;
- m. Samuel Chadbourne, b. Mar. 4, 1822, d. Apr. 8, 1879.
- 194 Benjamin Dodge ; b. July 9, 1830.
- 195 Albert.
- 196 Nancy ; b. Feb. 12, 1836 ; d. Feb. 13, 1836.
- 197 A child ; d. July 27, 1838.
- 198 A child ; d. Oct. 20, 1839.
- 199 A child ; d. Aug. 6, 1846.

(103) Eliza B. Chase married,—

200 Capt. Samuel Baker ; b. Dec. 4, 1804.

Children :

BAKER.

201 Jacob C. ; b. Jan. 13, 1837 ; d. Jan. 27, 1841.

(104) Lydia Chase (No. 241, p. 402), married,—

202 Edward Gray Buxton (see No. 192, p. 399) ; b. Jan. 23, 1811 ; d. Jan. 5, 1881.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Yarmouth, and Eastport, Me.

Occupation : Merchant ; Hotel-keeper.

Children :

BUXTON.

203 Jeremiah; b. Dec. 11, 1835; res. Yarmouth; occ. man'fr. patent medicines; m. Esther Frost.

204 George Quinby; b. Oct. 21, 1837; res. Sierra Valley, California; proprietor of stage-line.

205 Frances Chase; b. Feb. 1, 1839.

206 Edward Smith; b. May 9, 1842.

207 Charles Moxey; b. Jan. 9, 1852.

(53) Elizabeth Lufkin married.—

208 Otis Briggs Pratt; b. May 9, 1821; d. Oct. 24, 1866;

(see p. 67.)

Residence: Yarmouth, Me.

Children :

PRATT.

209 Charles B.; b. July 5, 1845.

210 Angenetta; b. Sept. 18, 1851; m. Jas. F. Mountford.

211 Lewis Whitney; b. Sept. 28, 1854; m. Delia Dyer.

(Gen. Notes T.)

NOTES ON JAMES LANE.

[BY SAMUEL RICHARDS, JR.]

James Lane, a brother of Job of Malden, Mass., came from Malden to Casco Bay in 1660, and settled on the eastern side of Cousins' River, in Freeport, the point and island near it being still called by his name. His wife was probably named Ann. In 1666, he was on a jury at a court held at Casco, and was then said to be of North Yarmouth. At this court John Mosier was fined ten shillings for traveling on the Lord's Day, for which he gave as an excuse that it was to look after Mr. Lane who was in danger of being drowned.

James Lane was a citizen and tradesman in London, England, in 1654, and was, no doubt, a member of the Worshipful Company of Turners. He was chief officer of the North Yarmouth Military Company in 1665-66 (see p. 1066), was living there in 1675, and was, no doubt, killed in the fight with the Indians, 13th Sept. 1688.

James Lane had a daughter, Ann, and sons John, Samuel, Henry, Job and James (p. 856.) Samuel and Henry lived in North Yarmouth in 1688. Job removed to Billerica Mass. John

Lane, born in 1653, married Dorcas, daughter of John Wallis, and lived near him at Porpoodock Point in 1687, and here they had five children of whom James was probably the eldest. On the second destruction of the place by Indians, John Lane and family fled to Gloucester, Mass.

James Lane, son of John, married Ruth Riggs, daughter of John, Oct. 25, 1710. She died Aug. 18, 1711, aged twenty, and he next married Judith Woodbury, widow of William, who died his widow, Aug. 29, 1770, aged 85. He was a deacon of the 3d Church, and died, as we learn from his gravestone at Lanesville, Mass., Apr. 20, 1751. He left a large amount of real estate and farming stock, one quarter part of a schooner at sea, and a negro man and woman. His age at death was 69. He had four sons, William, Josiah, John and James. The son James was master of a fishing schooner, and was lost on the Grand Banks in 1753.

Josiah Lane, son of Deacon James, was born Mar. 29, 1729. He was married by Rev. Mr. Bradstreet to Abigail Norwood, Mar. 20, 1743. The births of his children are not recorded, but the records of the 3d Church give the baptisms of the following: Levi, Nov. 10, 1754. Francis, Dec. 12, 1756; Abigail, Oct. 21, 1759; Mark, Jan. 10, 1762; Ammi, June 17, 1764. Children were usually baptized when about one month old. The death of this Josiah is not recorded, but it must have occurred soon after the birth of his last child for his widow was appointed administrator of his estate Nov. 3, 1766.

Francis Lane, son of Josiah, was married to Esther Griffin, Feb. 25, 1779, by Rev. Obadiah Parsons. She was a daughter of Oliver Griffin who married Mary York in 1736, about which time he is said to have come from Newbury and settled in Annisquam, Mass. Oliver Griffin's children were, Jonathan, b. 1737; Oliver, b. Dec. 1739; Josiah, b. Mar. 1742; Mary, b. 1744; Abigail, b. Aug. 1748; James, b. Feb. 1751; Susanna, b. Mar. 1753; James, again, b. Aug. 1755; Andrew, b. 1758; Esther, above, b. Sept. 1761. The Squam church records say that Oliver Griffin was a member of the church for many years, and was well esteemed. He died Jan. 15, 1781, and his wife Sept. 10, 1767.

Francis Lane enlisted in the Revolutionary Army, in Capt. Rowe's company, of Gloucester, Mass., which took part in the battle of Bunker Hill. He also served on a privateer. After the declaration of peace he was engaged in the E. India and W. India trade. He was once wrecked on the coast of Greenland, remaining there all winter to recover the cargo of cotton. Soon after his marriage he removed to North Yarmouth, Maine, where their children were born, as follows;—

1 Esther; b. May 26, 1782; d. May 2, 1842; m. Benjamin Safford, of North Turner Bridge, Maine.

2 Francis; b. about 1787; d. young.

3 Mary; b. Jan. 7, 1792; d. Oct. 31, 1865; m. Samuel Richards, of Oxford, Me.

4 Ammi Ruhamah; b. Mar. 7, 1794; d. June 16, 1863; m. Eliza Whitehouse, of Oxford, Me.

5 Susan; b. Nov. 9, 1797; d. May 12, 1851; m. Ransom Ripley, of Paris, Me.

6 Hannah; b. June 14, 1799; d. Mar. 24, 1859; m. William Hutchins, of Oxford, Me.

In 1799, Esther (Griffin) Lane, wife of Francis, sacrificed her life to the cause of humanity in taking care of a near neighbor at North Yarmouth who had the yellow fever. The neighbor recovered, but Esther took the fever and died, leaving a family of small children, one an infant. Is there on record a nobler sacrifice than this? If her grave can be found in the old burial-place at North Yarmouth I hope a headstone may be erected to her memory. Her daughter took the fever and never fully recovered from its effects.

July 8, 1800, Francis Lane married Hannah Wyman, of North Yarmouth, Me. I do not know how long he remained at North Yarmouth, but in 1818 he sold his farm at Minot to Leonard P. Woodbury and removed to the southwest corner of Paris, Maine. Here his wife Hannah died, and he married for his third wife, Dec. 5, 1822, Mrs. Betsey Gannmon, of South Paris, who died Mar. 31, 1825, aged 63 years. Francis Lane died Nov. 30, 1829, aged 73 years. He was a Revolutionary pensioner. He visited Gloucester on a fishing trip every summer until a short time before he died. I learn that he was a slight-built man with blue eyes and light hair which turned white some years before his death. He was a kind-hearted christian man, and lived a useful and blameless life.

The Francis Lane house, at Gloucester, now owned and occupied by Ambrose Jones, Esq., is in good condition, although more than a century has passed away since Mr. Lane sold it and removed to North Yarmouth.

Francis Lane and his last two wives were buried in the old church-yard in school-district number four, in the Robinson neighborhood, about two miles southeast of South Paris village. The graves had been lost for many years, but fortunately a person discovered them, and I have placed a stone there with appropriate inscriptions, as I did not think it right to have a soldier of Bunker Hill sleep in a lost and forgotten grave, and I trust that sometime his numerous descendants will feel grateful to me for my labor of love.

Ammi Ruhamah Lane, son of Francis, enlisted and served in the war of 1812, for which service his widow, now living, receives

a pension. He was also in the Aroostook war, so called. He was a respected citizen of Oxford, Maine, where he left a large family.

It is but just to say, that, from all my researches and intimate acquaintance with the children of Francis Lane, the soldier of Bunker Hill, I have found no stain upon the character of any. May we, their descendants, while we revere their memory, be careful not to depart from the narrow way, that we may at last enter in at the narrow gate through which our puritan ancestors have already passed to receive their reward.

Children of Benjamin and Esther Griffin (Lane) Safford :

- 1 William S. ; b. Aug. 15, 1806.
- 2 Nathan ; b. Feb. 14, 1808.
- 3 Francis Lane ; b. May 6, 1811.
- 4 Polly Lane ; b. May 22, 1813.
- 5 Eliza A. ; b. Apr. 18, 1816.

Children of Samuel and Mary (Lane) Richards (a daughter of Francis Lane) :

- 1 Tristram ; b. Mar. 13, 1830 ; m. Harriet Pike, Mar. 1, 1857.
- 2 Samuel ; b. July 30, 1832 ; m. Susan Dearborn, Feb. 5, 1862 ; had children born at South Paris, Flora Mary, b. Nov. 17, 1862, Wilson Lane, b. May 24, 1865, and Susan Almira, b. July 11, 1867. He is a watchmaker and jeweler, South Paris, Me.

Children of Ammi Ruhamah and Eliza (Whitehouse) Lane :

- 1 Zenas ; b. Nov. 10, 1825 ; m. Judith Safford.
- 2 Betsey ; b. July 4, 1827 ; m. Samuel Rogers.
- 3 Gilman G. ; b. Dec. 26, 1829 ; m. Mary Guptill.
- 4 America ; b. Nov. 22, 1831 ; m. Eliza A. Furber.
- 5 Philenah G. ; b. Dec. 26, 1836 ; m. Alonzo Palmer.
- 6 Ammi Franklin ; b. Apr. 2, 1843 ; m. Mary Knight.
- 7 Frances Ann ; b. July 1, 1845 ; m. Enoch E. Hall.
- 8 Oscar G. ; b. Oct. 11, 1855 ; m. Melly Tolbert.

Children of Ransom and Susan (Lane) Ripley :

- 1 Ransom ; b. Oct. 15, 1823 ; m. Julia M. Thayer ; residence, Paris, Me.
- 2 Ammi ; b. Sept. 8, 1825 ; m. ——— Fuller.
- 3 Cynthia ; b. Aug. 19, 1827 ; m. William G. Knapp, of Leeds, Me. ; residence, Hartford, Me.
- 4 Ellen ; b. July 23, 1829 ; unmarried ; res. Biddeford, Me.
- 5 Thaddeus ; b. Oct. 15, 1831 ; d. Sept. —, 1858, in Cal.
- 6 Abby J. ; b. July —, 1833 ; m. Joseph Libby, of Chicago.
- 7 Amanda ; b. 1835 ; m. Elijah DeCoster, of Turner ; res. No. Turner, Me.
- 8 George ; b. July —, 1838 ; m. Mary Noyes.

9 Adelia; b. 1841; m. Joseph Henry Cornell, of Cambridge, Mass.; residence, Everett, Mass.

Children of William and Hannah (Lane) Hutchins:

1 William; b. Dec. 18, 1821.

2 John S.; b. Nov. 30, 1823; m. Phebe Rowe.

3 Mary L.; b. Oct. 21, 1824; m. Benjamin F. Pearson.

4 George.

5 Francis.

6 Martha Ann; b. Mar. 9, 1832; d. Nov. 9, 1846.

Zenas Lane, Jr., of Mechanic Falls, Me., a jeweler, is a descendant of John, son of the first James of North Yarmouth. Zenas Lane, Sr., was a son of Benjamin of Gloucester, Mass., a cousin of Francis of North Yarmouth.

The Genealogical Register, XVII, 267, shows that these Lanes were from Richmonsworth in Hertfordshire, England, eighteen miles from London; but Mr. E. Lane, of Chicago, Ill., writes that "Job Lane, a carpenter, of Dorchester, Eng., came to Dorchester, Mass., in 1635, and was a citizen of Rehobath in 1645. In 1650 he removed to Billerica, and thence to Malden. He m. Sarah —, who d. in 1656, he then m. Hannah, dau. of Rev. John Reyner in July, 1660, who was b. in 1632 and d. Apr. 30, 1704."

A letter from Jeremiah Gould, dated June 6, 1654, London, to Job Lane, in Mass., shows that he (Job) had brothers James, John and Edward, (the latter dead), and that their father was dead, and their uncle Henry alive. Gould had been in America.

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THE BLANCHARD FAMILY.

1 Nathaniel Blanchard (see pp. 499, 500, 872), (136, 1st Ch., 1745, from church in Weymouth, Mass.), b. in Weymouth, May 19, 1701, d. Aug. 15, 1773, married,—

2 Hannah Shaw (137, 1st Ch.), d. about 1770.

Residence: Weymouth, Mass.; North Yarmouth, Me.

Children:

BLANCHARD

(6) 3 Nathaniel; b. at W. June 25, 1727; d. Aug. 6, 1807.

4 Mary; b. May 9, 1745 (bap. 12th, p. 615.)

(25) 5 Joshua; b. Apr. 1, 1748; bap. May 1, 1748 (p. 616; d. Feb. —, 1835.

6 Abigail; b. Oct. 31, 1750; bap. Dec. —, (p. 617); 340, 1st Ch.; d. Aug. 11, 1832; m. Cornelius Buxton (2d wf.)

(3) Nathaniel Blanchard (160, 1st Ch., Dec. 13, 1749), married (int. of m. Aug. 10, 1751, p. 553),—

7 Bethiah Mitchell, dau. of Seth and Deborah (Andros) Mitchell; b. Mar. 2, 1731; d. May 19, 1780; 178, 1st Ch., May 10, 1755. He married, 2d,—

8 Priscilla Hatch; 403, 1st Ch., Sept. 4, 1791; d. Oct. 17, 1809.

Residence: North Yarmouth, and Cumberland, Me.

Occupation: Farmer (p. 2.)

Children:

BLANCHARD.

9 Hannah; b. Nov. 15(?), 1752; bap. Nov. 8(?), 1752 (p. 663); d. Mar. 4, 1843; 308, 685, 1st Ch. Sept. 6, 1778; m. Cushing Prince (see pp. 729, 761.)

10 Samuel; b. Mar. 11, 1755; bap. May 4, (p. 664.)

(47) 11 Nathaniel; b. Nov. 1, 1757; bap. Nov. 6, (p. 666.)

(17) 12 Seth; bap. Apr. 6, 1760 (p. 667.)

13 Deborah; bap. Sept. 5, 1762 (p. 715.)

14 Huldah; bap. Apr. 19, 1767 (p. 717.)

15 Nicholas; bap. Oct. 8, 1769 (p. 749.)

(57) 16 Bela; bap. July 14, 1771 (p. 751); d. Sept. 8, 1810.

17 Bethia; bap. May 29, 1774 (p. 803.)

(12) Seth Blanchard married,—

18 Hephzibah Drinkwater; b. May 24, 1763; d. July 23, 1809; see No. 17, pp. 387, 390; 527, 1st Ch.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me. (pp. 24, 50.)

Occupation: Farmer.

Children:

BLANCHARD.

19 Sophia; m., 1st. David Prince: m., 2d, Lemuel Sawyer; m., 3d. ——— Holmes.

20 Samuel; d. unmarried.

21 Foxwell; b. Aug. 14, 1790; d. 1839; farmer, 1815, p. 2; m. Mary Robinson.

22 Mary Leach; m., 1st, ——— Davis; m., 2d, ——— Childs.

23 Woodbury; m. Eliza Blaisdell.

24 Bela; m. Nancy Smith Blanchard.

25 Nathaniel; d. at sea.

(5) Joshua Blanchard married,—

26 Jane Prince, daughter of Sylvanus and Elizabeth (Johnson) Prince, who died 1850 (No. 312, pp. 847-848.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children :

BLANCHARD.

27 William ; (see p. 848) ; bap. June 6, 1773 (p. 802) ; m. Sarah Blaisdell.

28 Hannah ; bap. July 9, 1775 (p. 804.)

29 Saba ; bap. Nov. 26, 1780. d from a fall ; buried June 10, 1852, aged 72, see p. 336 ; m Lot Loring (No. 237, p. 931.)

30 Elizabeth ; bap. Oct. 3, 1773 (p. 802) ; m. Jos. York ; m., 2d, ——— Latham.

(37) 31 Sylvanus ; bap May 31, 1778 (p. 858) ; d. Jan. 6, '58.

32 Nathaniel ; bap. June 22, 1783 ; d. at Tobago, W. I.

33 Perez ; bap. June 24, 1787 (p. 905) ; drowned at Copenhagen, Denmark.

34 Reuben ; bap. Mar. 16, 1791 (p. 940) ; d. in W I.

35 Huldah ; bap. do. ; d. unm., 1870.

36 Theodosia ; bap. May 9, 1793 (p. 943) ; d. 1869.

(45) 37 Levi ; b. 1796 ; d. Mar. 15, 1869.

(31) Sylvanus Blanchard (714, 1st Ch.), married,—

38 Dorcas Prince ; (124, pp. 761, 789, 790) ; b. May 2, 1781 ; d. Feb. 22, 1864 (?) (Shepley), (bur. Dec. 3, 1863? p. 414) ; 689, 1st Ch.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation : Sea-captain.

Children :

BLANCHARD.

39 David Prince ; b. Jan. 8. 1806 ; d. June 16, 1828 (see pp. 789, 790.)

40 Paul Greely ; b. Oct. 24. 1808 ; m., 1st, 1842, Frances B. Chase (No. 107, p. 1081) ; m., 2d, 1855, Sarah J. Baker (No. 1050, 1st Ch.) ; sea-captain ; res. Yarmouth, Me.

41 Sylvanus Cushing ; b. Sept. 4, 1811 : m., 1842, Abby Chadbourne ; sea-captain ; rep. Me. Legislature, 1854-6 ; res. Yarmouth ; one son, Capt. David Blanchard.

42 Perez Nathaniel ; b. May 6, 1815 ; m., Jan. 20, 1848, Cynthia Stone Blanchard ; sea-captain ; res. Yarmouth.

43 Samuel Woodbury ; b. Apr. 15, 1818 ; grad. Bowdoin Coll. ; 940, 1st Ch. ; d. Dec. 23, 1857 ; m. Clara B. Thurston ; physician ; res. Yarmouth and Searsport, Me.

44 Dorcas Jane ; b. Sept. 1822 ; bap. Nov. 10, 1822 (p. 1023) ; d. Mar. 7, 1862 (p. 371) ; m., Oct. 14, 1847 (p. 105), Capt. Joseph W. Lawrence

44½ Ammi Mitchell ; bap. Feb. 13, 1825 (p. 1055.)

45 Olive Elizabeth ; b. Aug. 22. 1826 ; m., Oct. —, 1855, Cyrus Foss Sargent, ship-owner. Yarmouth, (pp. 947, 1001) ; d. Apr. 27, 1861 (p. 370.)

(37) Levi Blanchard, 893 1st Ch., married, 1825,—

46 Olive Prince ; b. Jan. 1, 1796 ; No. 129, pp. 762, 791,

848, 852; 894, 1st Ch.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Children: BLANCHARD.

47 Edward Grenville; b. 1829; m., Oct. —, 1867, Sarah Emery, of Hampden, Me.; farmer; master's mate, U. S. Navy, war 1861-5; res. Cumberland, Me.

(11) Nathaniel Blanchard, 377, 1st Ch., married,—

48 Christiana Loring; No. 321, p. 936; 378, 1st Ch.

Residence: North Yarmouth and Cumberland, Me.

Children: BLANCHARD.

49 Mary.

50 Statira.

51 Christiana.

52 Solomon Loring.

(All of above baptised Aug. 16, 1791, p. 941.)

53 Nathaniel; bap. Apr. 4, 1793 (p. 943.)

54 Samuel.

55 David.

56 Alice.

57 Joseph; bap. Oct. 2, 1805 (p. 983.)

(16) Capt. Bela Blanchard, 537 1st Ch., married,—

58 Dorcas ———.

Residence: North Yarmouth. Me.

Occupation: Sea-captain.

Children: BLANCHARD.

59 Robert.

60 Harriet.

61 Asa Clapp.

(All of above baptised July 17, 1808, p. 984.)

62 Francis Brown; bap. Jan. 14, 1810 (p. 1016.)

(Gen. Notes, B, 38)

THE SWEETSER FAMILY.

1 John Sweetser, (51 1st Ch., Mar. 18, 1733,) married,—

2 Martha Green; d. May 14, 1736. He married, 2d,—

3 Elizabeth Stevens, of Malden, Mass. (intentions of marriage Nov. 16, 1738, p. 33.)

Residence; North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation : Farmer.

Children :

SWEETSER.

- (17) 4 John ; bap. May 20, 1733 (p. 491.)
 5 Martha ; bap. do.
 6 Jonathan ; bap. do.
 (21) 7 Benjamin ; bap. do.
 8 Elizabeth ; bap. do.
 9 Mehitabel ; bap. Sept. 2, 1739 (p. 493) ; 337, 1st Ch. ;
 d. Feb. 1, 1798, aged 65 ; m. Nathan Oakes (see p. 638.)
 (26) 10 Seth ; bap. Dec. 14, 1740 (p. 493.)
 11 Judith ; bap. Mar. 13, 1743 (p. 614.)
 (35) 12 Salathiel.
 13 Rachel ; 365, 1st Ch., July 34, 1791 ; d. Sept. —, 1843,
 aged about 90 ; m. Sylvanus Drinkwater ; see No. 47, p. 389 ;
 their dau. Alethea m. Solomon Loring, and their dau. Emma m.
 Richard O. Conant, and their son, Fred. O. Conant. b. Oct. 1,
 1857, m., Oct. 31, 1883, Eva Merrill ; see No. 329. p. 936.
 (41) 15 William ; d. Feb. 22, 1849, aged 94 years and 10 mos.
 (p. 105.)
 16 Mary.
 (49) 17 Richard ; b. about Nov. 17, 1749.

(4) John Sweetser married, June 6, 1749 (see pp. 396, 654,
 660), —

18 Hannah Pomroy.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation : Farmer.

Children :

SWEETSER.

- (57) 19 Benjamin.
 20 Sarah ; bap., adult, Nov. 3, 1766 (p. 805.)
 21 Mary ; bap., adult, Nov. 3, 1766 (p. 805.)

(7) Benjamin Sweetser married, —

22 Hannah Drew ; 298, 1st Ch.

Residence : North Yarmouth and Cumberland, Me.

Occupation : Farmer (p. 70.)

Children :

SWEETSER.

- 23 Huldah ; bap. July 21, 1776 (p. 805.)
 24 Benjamin ; bap. Oct 18, 1778 (p. 858) ; m. Olive Blanchard ;
 ch. David, Sophronia, Samuel, Rufus, Amasa and Wm.
 25 Hannah.
 26 Elizabeth.

(10) Seth Sweetser, 272 1st Ch., married, —

27 Priscilla Thompson ; 273, 1st Ch. ; d. Dec. 26, 1810.

He married, 2d, —

28 ——— Oakes.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Children: SWEETSER.

29 Elizabeth.

30 Rachel.

31 Joseph.

(Above, by first wife, bap. Dec. 6, 1772, p. 753.)

32 Asa; (by second wife); bap. Dec. 6, 1772 (p. 753.)

33 Priscilla; bap. Oct. 15, 1775 (p. 804.)

34 Nathaniel; bap. Aug. 24, 1777 (p. 857); m. ———; had, Joseph, Daniel, Nathaniel, Priscilla and Anna.

35 Judith; bap. Nov. 14, 1779 (p. 859.)

(12) Salathiel Sweetser married,—

36 Rachel Prince (No. 105, pp. 729, 762); b. July 22, 1747; d. Sept. 20, 1843; she m., 2d, Nathaniel Weeks; she was 310, 1st Ch.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children: SWEETSER

37 Dea. Levi; bap. Aug. 28, 1774 (p. 803); m. Jane Buxton, 407, 1st Ch.; had Salathiel and Benjamin.

38 Prince; bap. Aug. 28, 1774 (p. 803); m. Lucy Pratt, of Cumberland; had, Jesse, and Mira (who m. ——— Blanchard); a farmer (p. 69.)

39 Ammi; bap. Nov. 10, 1776 (p. 806); d. young.

40 Salathiel.

41 Jacob; (p. 762); d. at sea.

(15) Dea. William Sweetser, (361, 1st Ch.), married,—

42 Alice [Elsie?] Prince; b. Feb. 13, 1756; bap. Feb. 22, 1756 (p. 664); No. 109, pp. 729, 763; 362, 1st. Ch.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children: SWEETSER.

43 Salathiel; b. Sept. 24, 1780 (p. 859); m. ——— Chase.

44 Lydia; bap. June 16, 1782 (p. 861.)

45 Dea. Sylvanus; bap. Sept. 26, 1784 (pp. 902, 903); d. July 23, 1875, aged 91 years, 18 days (p. 473); m. ——— Patrick; had, Floyd, Samuel H. and Charles.

46 Simeon (Simon?); bap. July 15, 1787 (p. 905); m. ——— Smith (p. 763.)

47 Samuel; bap. Aug. 1, 1790 (p. 940); 788, 1st Ch.; d. Nov. 10, 1867; m. Harriet Jenks; res. North Yarmouth and Portland, Me.; ch: Helen Maria, bap. Aug. 1, 1830 (p. 1055.)

48 Anna; bap. May 9, 1793 (p. 943.)

49 Elizabeth; m. Daniel Sweetser (p. 763.)

(17) Richard Sweetser married, Sept. 24, 1778,—

50 Sarah Mathews, of North Yarmouth; b. Aug. —, 1749;
her family came from Framingham, Mass., to North Yarmouth.

Residence: North Yarmouth and Gray, Me.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children:

SWEETSER.

51 Susanna; b. Mar. 5, 1780 (bap. May 14, p. 859.)

52 Richard; b. Oct. 3, 1782 (bap. July 26, 1783, p. 901.)

53 Sally; b. Dec. 11, 1784.

54 Hannah; b. July 19, 1786.

55 Judith; b. Sept. 16, 1788.

56 Abigail; b. Sept. 18, 1790.

57 William; b. Apr. 10, 1794.

(19) Benjamin Sweetser married,—

58 Nelly (Eleanor?) Harley; 477, 1st Ch.; d. Apr. 29,
1813.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Children:

SWEETSER.

59 Daniel; bap. June 27, 1794 (p. 944.)

60 John; bap. May 1, 1796 (p. 946.)

61 Philip; bap. July 13, 1800 (p. 981.)

(Gen. Notes S10)

THE CHANDLER FAMILY.

1 Edmund Chandler (see p. 305), of Duxbury, Mass.,
1633; Scituate, 1650; d. 1652; married,—

2 ————.

Children:

CHANDLER.

3 Sarah.

4 Anna.

5 Mary.

6 Ruth.

(9) 7 Benjamin; d. 1691.

8 Samuel; d. 1683.

(15) 9 Joseph.

(7) Benjamin Chandler married,—

10 Elizabeth Buck.

Residence : Scituate, Mass.

Children : CHANDLER.

- 11 Benjamin ; b. 1672.
- 12 Martha ; b. 1673.
- 13 Samuel ; b. Nov. 30, 1674. (A Samuel Chandler was one of the early Selectmen of North Yarmouth, (1st Ch. Cat.)
- 14 John ; b. 1675.
- 15 Mary ; b. 1678.

(9) Joseph Chandler married,—

16 ————.

Residence : Duxbury, Mass.

Children : CHANDLER.

- 17 John ; d. Apr. 7, 1759, aged 82 years 6 mos.
- (20) 18 Joseph ; d. before 1759.
- 19 Edmund ; Duxbury, 1710.
- 20 Benjamin ; d. Mar. 26, 1771, aged 87.

(18) Joseph Chandler, (No. 4, 1st Ch., N. Yarmouth, Me., Nov. 18, 1730, one of the original members), drew home-lot No. 81, N. Yarmouth, May 18, and June 16, 1727 (pp. 457, 629) ; Selectman. 1735 to 17— ; Assessor, 1733–35, (pp. 117, 229, 742, 797, 314) ; sold land to Edmund Chandler, 1734 (p. 796.)

He married, Feb. 12, 1701,—

21 Martha Hunt ; (62, 1st Ch.) d. Jan. 31, 1759.

Residence : Scituate, Mass. ; North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation : Farmer : blacksmith (p. 742.)

Children : CHANDLER.

- (31) 22 Philip ; b. July 21, 1702 ; d. Nov. 15, 1764.
- 23 Mary ; b. Aug. 3, 1704 ; d. Nov. 27, 1787 ; m. Jonas Mason, No. 1, p. 1047 ; 274, 1st Ch.
- (92) 24 Joshua ; b. July 7, 1706.
- 24½ Phebe ; b. 1706 ; m. Capt. John Gray about 1731 (see p. 347) ; d. Sept. 23, 1744.
- (71) 25 Zachariah ; b. July 16, 1708 ; d. 1782
- (42) 26 Edmund ; b. Apr. 9, 1710 ; d. Mar. 30, 1793.
- 27 Ebenezer ; b. Sept. 8, 1712.
- 28 Sarah ; b. Oct. 25, 1714 ; d. Apr. 28, 1737, p. 1036? ; m. Moses Soule, 1729? ; see pp. 6, 656?
- 29 Martha ; b. Nov. 13, 1716 ; m. Thomas Weston, 1767.
- (52) 30 Jonathan ; b. Feb. 18, 1718 ; d. July 20, 1786.
- (61) 31 Judah ; b. Aug. 30, 1720.

(22) Philip Chandler married, Dec. 16, 1725,—

32 Rebecca Philips ; b. 1704 ; d. Jan. —, 1782.

Residence : Duxbury, Mass.

Children : CHANDLER.

- 33 Nathan ; b. Oct. 28, 1726.
- 34 Betsey ; b. Oct. 21, 1728.
- 35 Perez ; b. July 10, 1730.
- 36 Esther ; b. May 31, 1732.
- 37 Martha ; b. May 31, 1732.
- 38 Peleg ; b. Apr. 27, 1735 ; m. Sarah Winslow, 205 1st Church ; res. New Gloucester, Me.
- 39 Philip ; b. Oct. 24, 1738.
- 40 Asa ; b. Mar. 1, 1743.
- 41 Mary ; b. Sept. 25, 1744.
- 42 Elijah ; b. Jan. 4, 1747.

(26) Edmund Chandler, 82 1st Ch., married. Jan. 1, 1736 (p. 472), (Jan. 13, 1737, p. 658),—

43 Mercy Fogg ; 83, 1st Ch. ; d. July 12, 1769.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation : Farmer. (See pp. 71, 348, 506, 456, 460, 796.)

Children : CHANDLER.

- 44 Martha ; b. Nov. 10, 1737 ; bap. Sept. 13, 1741 (p. 613.)
- 45 Joseph ; b. Feb. 11, 1739 ; bap. Sept. 13, 1741 (page 913) ; m. June (Jan.?), 20, 1755, Susanna Brown (p. 658.)
- 46 Enos ; b. July 3, 1742 ; m. Elizabeth Soule, 1765, see No. 36, p. 865.
- 47 Abigail ; b. Jan. 16, 1744 ; bap. Jan. 20, 1745 (p. 614.)
- 48 Sarah ; b. Oct. 25, 1747 ; bap. Nov. 1, 1747 (p. 616.) ; m. David Barker? (pp. 658, 716.)
- 49 Rhoda ; b. June 29, 1750.
- (78) 50 Rebecca ; b. Apr. 30, 1753 ; bap. June 17, '53 (p. 663.)
- 50½ Mary ; bap. June 2, 1754 (p. 663.)
- 51 Mercy ; b. Sept. 28, 1755.
- 52 Edmond ; b. Mar. 3, 1759 ; bap. Apr. 30, '59 (p. 666.)

(30) Jonathan Chandler, 134 1st Ch. Mar. 31, 1745, (see pp. 305 probably an error, 366, 423, 617), (int. m. Nov. 12, 1748, p. 653), married, Jan. 19, 1749 (p. 658),—

53 Rachel Mitchell, (No. 25, p. 249), 174 1st Ch., b. 1730, d. Jan. 1, 1814.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me. (pp. 72, 507.)

Occupation : Farmer.

Children : CHANDLER.

- 54 Tabiatha ; b. Sept. 18, 1750 ; bap. Dec. —, 1750 (p. 617) ; d. Aug. 11, 1756.
- 55 David ; b. June 30, 1752 (bap. Aug. 16, p. 663) ; m. Rebecca Drisco, 520 1st Ch.?
- 56 Timothy ; b. Oct. 20, 1754 (bap. Oct. 27, p. 664) ; d. Sept. 26, 1757.

57 Jacob; b. June 19, 1757 (bap. Aug. 21, p. 666); wf. Huldah, 325 1st Ch.?

58 Rachel; bap. July 12, 1761 (p. 714.)

59 Rufus; 518 1st Ch.?.; bap. May 4, 1766 (p. 717); m. Nancy Cushing, 519 1st Ch.?.; also see 574 1st Ch., Abigail (Dennison) Chandler.?

60 Joel; bap. July 29, 1770 (p. 750.)

61 Reuben; bap. June 6, 1773 (p. 802)

(31) Judah Chandler (see p. 72), married,—

62 Martha Seabury (93 1st Ch.) He married, 2d,—

63 Rebecca Seabury (149 1st Ch.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, and Durham, Me.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children:

CHANDLER.

64 Mary Johnson; b. Oct. 25, 1745 (bap. 27, p. 615.)

65 Edmond; b. Jan. 7, 1747 (bap. 10, p. 615.)

66 John; b. Feb. 4, 1748; bap. Apr. 16, 1749 (p. 617.)

67 Jonathan; b. Dec. 24, 1750; bap. June 9, '51 (p. 617.)

68 Mercy; b. Apr. 4, 1754.

69 Abigail; b. Sept. 23, 1756.

70 Huldah; bap. Apr. 5, 1761 (p. 714.)

71 Sarah; bap. June 28, 1767 (p. 718.)

(25) Zachariah Chandler (see pp. 71, 348, 456, 460, 740), (127 1st Ch.), married,—

72 Zeruiah Homes, (128 1st Ch.), d. May 26, 1795, aged 80 years.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Farmer; Selectman before 1800.

Children:

CHANDLER.

73 Sarah; b. Aug. 10, 1739; bap. Nov. 25, '44 (p. 614); m. David Barker, Aug. 6, 1761.

74 Mary; b. Feb. 20, 1741; bap. Nov. 20, 1744 (p. 614.)

75 Hannah; b. Aug. 18, 1745.

76 Joshua; b. Oct. 26, 1747 (bap. Nov. 1, p. 616.)

77 Mercy; b. Feb. 8, 1749; bap. Apr. 1, 1750 (p. 617.)

78 Elizabeth; b. May 6, 1754; bap. as "Betty," July 28, 1754 (p. 664.)

(50) Rebecca Chandler married, 1771,—

79 David Pratt, (p. 648), of Freeport, Me.

Residence: Freeport, Me.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children;

PRATT.

80 Edmund; b. July 11, 1772.

- 81 Elizabeth; b. Oct. 13, 1773.
 82 Samuel; b. May 6, 1776.
 83 David; b. July 6, 1778.
 84 Timothy; b. July 22, 1780.
 85 Joseph; b. Sept. 25, 1782; d. Nov. 21, 1855 (p. 975.)
 86 Mercy; b. Apr. 3, 1785.
 87 Rebecca; b. Mar. 18, 1788.
 88 Enos; b. June 28, 1790.
 89 Jonathan; b. Aug. 25, 1792.
 90 Rispah; Aug. 1, 1796.
 91 Sarah; b. June 80, 1793; m. Enos Soule (p. 977.)
 92 Rachel; b. July 26, 1800.

(24) Joshua Chandler (496 1st Ch., Oct. 3, 1793, "moved westward,") married,—

93 Sarah Parker (497 1st Ch.); d. Oct. —, 1794.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children:

CHANDLER.

94 Sally.

95 Enos.

96 Ezekiel.

97 Sukey.

(All baptised Oct. 3, 1793, p. 944.)

(Gen. Notes. 10)

THE STORER FAMILY.

1 Matthias Storer, (492 1st Ch., Sept. 8, 1793), d. Aug. 11, 1806; (see p. 948); married,—

2 Elizabeth (——) Mitchell, (widow of Enos Mitchell), b. 1753, died Jan. 27, 1817; 301 1st Ch., May 17, 1776.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children:

STORER.

(35) 3 Enos; b. Mar. 20, 1787; bap. Sept. 23, 1792 (pp. 492-3); bur. May 29, 1842 (p. 214.)

3½ Betsey; b. Mar. 12, 1782; d. Sept. 6, 1782.

(10) 4 Amos; b. 1780; bap. Sept. 23, 1792 (pp. 942-3); d. Dec. 22, 1843; bur. Dec. 24, 1843 (p. 267.)

5 Joanna; bap. Sept. 23, 1792 (pp. 942-3); d. Mar. 9,

1826 ; 567 1st Ch.

6 Ruth ; b. 1785 ; bap. Sept. 23, 1792 (pp. 942-3) ; d. Feb. 6, 1847, aged 62 (see p. 260) ; 763 1st Ch. ; a well-known nurse.

7 William Myrick ; b. 1794 ; bap. Apr. 12, 1794 (p. 944.)

8 Lucy ; b. Nov. 10, 1783 ; bap. Sept. 23, 1792 (pp. 942-3) ; d. Oct. 11, 1864 (bur. Oct. 13, p. 415.)

9 Judith ; b. 1791 ; bap. Sept. 23, 1792 (pp. 942-3) ; d. Mar. 19, 1826.

10 ———.

(4) Amos Storer married,—

11 Sally True ; b. 1799 ; d. Nov. 16, 1844 (bur. Nov. 18, p. 258.)

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation : Baker (p. 70.)

Children : STORER.

(16) 12 William Cutter ; b. 1805 ; d. May 25, 1865, aged 59 years and eight months (bur. May 29, p. 415.)

(18) 13 Ammi ; b. 1811 ; d. 1874.

(21) 14 Elizabeth Moulton ; b. Jan. 11, 1816 ; d. Nov. 14, '78.

(28) 15 Harriet Jane.

16 George ; b. 1817 ; a baker, North Yarmouth ; d. at sea. 1853.

(12) William Cutter Storer married,—

17 Matilda Gooch, (daughter of Benjamin), b. 1815 ; d. Nov. 14, 1865, aged forty-nine years (bur. Nov. 17, p. 415.)

Residence : North Yarmouth and Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation : Merchant (Storer & Smith.)

Children : STORER.

(33) 18 Edward Gooch ; b. Oct. 4, 1836.

(13) Ammi Storer married,

19 Jane Q. Reed.

Residence : North Yarmouth and Yarmouth, Me. ; Boston.

Occupation : Merchant.

Children : STORER.

20 Ferdinand Ingraham ; b. 1841 ; res. Boston. Mass. ; m. Jennie M. E. Pratt, b. 1841, d. 1881.

21 William Dana ; b. Oct. —, 1850 ; d. 1855.

(14) Elizabeth Moulton Storer married,—

22 William M. [or H.] Smith, of North Yarmouth, Me., b. 1815 ; d. Sept. 26, 1841 (bur. Sept. 21, p. 214) ; see No. 232, p. 401.

Residence ; North Yarmouth, Me.

Children : SMITH.
 23 Algernon Odell ; res. Yarmouth ; son Edgar.
 24 Arabella Williams.

Mrs. Smith married, 2d,—
 25 Nathaniel Baker, of North Yarmouth.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Children : BAKER.
 26 George.
 27 Edward.
 28 Samuel.

(15) Harriet Jane Storer married,—
 29 Ferdinand Ingraham.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me

Children : INGRAHAM.
 30 Adelaide.
 31 Harriet.
 32 Fidelia J. ; d. May 1, 1877, aged 21 years 9 mos.
 33 William Storer.

(18) Edward Gooch Storer married, Feb. 8, 1872,—
 34 Eldera May Sawtell.

Residence : Yarmouth and Augusta, Me.

Occupation : Merchant.

Children : STORER.
 35 Edward Ferdinand ; b. Aug. 4, 1876.

(3) Enos Storer married,—

36 Lucretia Loring, of North Yarmouth, b. July 17, 1781,
 d. June 5, 1853 (bur. June 7, p. 337) ; 694 1st Ch.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation : Baker.

Children : STORER.
 (41) 37 Richmond Loring ; b. Aug. 8, 1810, at Wiscasset, Me.
 (see No. 171, p. 887.)

38 Bezaleel Loring ; bap. Oct. 24, 24, 1813 (p. 1019.)

39 Amos.

(50) 40 Edward ; bap. Apr. 28, 1822 (p. 1022) ; d. 1864, aged
 49 (bur. July 29, p. 415.)

41 Ann Maria ; bap. Apr. 28, 1822 (p. 1022) ; d. Sept. 2,
 1850, aged 33 (bur. Sept. 3, p. 335) ; 1093 1st Ch.

41½ Grace ; bap. Apr. 28, 1822 (p. 1022.)

(37) Richmond Loring Storer (959 1st Ch., 1838), (see No.
 171, pp. 887 and 953, and No. 108, p. 929), m. Jan. 24, 1833,—

42 Jeanette Elizabeth Humphrey, of North Yarmouth, Me.,

(905 1st Ch.), b. July 25, 1805, d. Apr. 20, 1873 (65, p. 887.)

Residence: Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Shoemaker.

Children: STORER.

43 Nancy Maria; b. July 26, 1834; d. Apr. 24, 1838.

(53) 44 Gustavus; b. Sept. 13, 1835.

45 Eliza Greely; b. Apr. 7, 1837; m., Mar. 22, 1863,
Charles T. Raynold, b. July 4, 1837, a currier, res. Biddeford,
Maine.

46 Charles Henry; b. June 10, 1839; d. Dec. 13, 1854.

47 John Humphrey; b. Mar. 30, 1842; married; 2 children; res. Cleveland, Ohio.

48 Abby Jane; b. Sept. 13, 1844; d. Apr. 13, 1847 (see p. 301.)

49 Harriet Sweetser; b. May 12, 1847; 1392 1st Ch.

50 Eliphalet Greely; b. July 9, 1849; married; 2 children.

(40) Edward Storer (p. 951), (1098 1st Ch.), married,—

51 Louisa Stocking (1099 1st Ch.)

Residence: Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Tanner (p. 948.)

Children: STORER.

52 Emma L.; (1194 1st Ch.); m. George W. Baker.

53 ———; bur. Apr. 10, 1848 (p. 302.)

(44) Gustavus Storer (1204 1st Ch.) m. Oct. 19, 1865,—

54 Sarah J. Anderson, of Freeport, Me., b. Dec. 23, 1841;
(1185 1st Ch.)

Residence: Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Tailor.

Children: STORER.

55 Arthur Ellsworth; b. Apr. 21, 1869.

56 Harry Ervin; b. May 30, 1870.

(Gen. Notes 515)

THE WINSLOW FAMILY.

1 Gilbert Winslow, b. July 11, 1673, [son of Nathaniel and Faith (Muller) Winslow, son of Kenelm and Widow Ellen (Newton) (Adams) Winslow, son of Edward and Magdalen

Winslow], died June 12, 1731. He bought the John Mosier farm on Harrisickett River, North Yarmouth, Me., in 1698, and sold it to Job Otis in 1702 (pp. 445, 467.) He married, Feb. 7, 1698,

2 Mercy Snow, daughter of Josiah and Rebecca Snow, born 1675.

Residence: Marshfield, Mass. (See p. 305.)

Occupation: Tanner.

Children:

WINSLOW.

(10) 3 Isaacar; b. Feb. 19, 1699; d. July 7, 1741 (p. 1036.)

(15) 4 Barnabas; b. Feb. 24, 1701.

(22) 5 Gilbert; b. July 26, 1704; d. Jan. 9, 1777.

6 Anthony; b. Apr. 24, 1707.

7 Mercy; b. Aug. 1, 1710.

8 Rebecca; b. Jan. 3, 1712.

9 Job; b. June 2, 1715.

10 Benjamin; b. Aug. 28, 1717.

(3) Isaacher Winslow married,—

11 Mary ———, of Marshfield; (84 1st Ch., Oct. 4, 1741.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Children:

WINSLOW.

12 Elsie; b. Nov. 8, 1730.

13 Gilbert; b. June 8, 1732.

14 Elizabeth; b. Oct. 29, 1734; m. William Low, Aug. 21, 1760.

15 Isaacher; b. July 27, 1738.

(All of above baptised Dec. 13, 1741, see p. 613.)

(4) Barnabas Winslow married,—

16 Mercy Glass, daughter of John and Esther (Chandler) Glass, of Duxbury, Mass., b. Nov. 15, 1705; 89 1st Ch.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Farmer. Town Clerk from 1733 to 1762, except one year.

Children:

WINSLOW.

17 Rebecca; b. Mar. 9, 1735; bap. May 23, '42 (p. 613.)

18 Esther; b. Dec. 8, 1736; d. Dec. 16, 1736 (p. 1036.)

19 Stephen; b. May 2, 1738; d. June 8, 1738 (p. 1036.)

20 Sarah; b. July 29, 1739; bap. May 23, 1742 (p. 613); 205 1st Ch.; m., Dec. 9, 1762, Peleg Chandler (No. 38 p. 1097.)

21 Asenath; b. Apr. 1, 1743; bap. May 8, p. 614.)

22 Barnabas; b. Mar. 1, 1745; bap. Feb. 2, '46 (p. 615.)

(5) Gilbert Winslow, 119 1st Ch. Oct. 10, 1743, who, it is said, lived on the Purpooduck side of Portland harbor as early as 1717 (see pp. 435, 606), in the only house then there (he was 13 years old!) He was in North Yarmouth in 1730 with Barnabas,

his brother, and in 1735 he and others were granted privilege for a mill. He married,—

23 Patience Seabury, (No. 30, p. 374), (120 1st Ch.), b. Aug. 10, 1710, a daughter of Deacon Samuel Seabury.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Physician.

Children:

WINSLOW.

24 Seabury; b. Oct. 5, 1734; d. June 3, 1738.

25 Benjamin; b. Aug. 16, 1737; d. June 17, 1738 (p. 1036.)

26 Benjamin; b. Apr. 26, 1739; bap. Oct. 10, 1743 (p. 614); 641 1st Ch.; m. Mary Taylor, 748 1st Ch., d. Dec. 8, 1832, aged 72; he d. Apr. 4, 1827; res. North Yarmouth.

27 Lydia; b. — 26, 1740?

28 Lydia; b. Sept. 23, 1740?; bap. Apr. 29, '44 (p. 614.)

(34) 29 Seabury; b. Mar. 2, 1743.

30 Abigail; b. Mar. 1, 1744.

31 Samuel; b. June 12, 1746 (bap. July 13, p. 615.)

32 Patience; b. Apr. 29, 1748 (bap. Sept. 4, p. 616.)

33 Hannah; b. June 5, 1751 (bap. June 9, p. 617.)

34 Gilbert; b. June 5, 1753 (bap. July 11, p. 663); int. of m. with Rosanna Davis, of Biddeford, Me., Feb. 12, 1780; m. Mar. 10, 1780 (p. 434); she was 431 1st Ch., d. Oct. 3, 1823, m., 2d, Jacob Meriill.

(29) Seabury Winslow married,—

35 —————.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Children:

WINSLOW.

36 Hannah; bap. Mar. 2, 1777 (p. 857.)

37 Abigail; bap. June 22, 1777 (p. 857.)

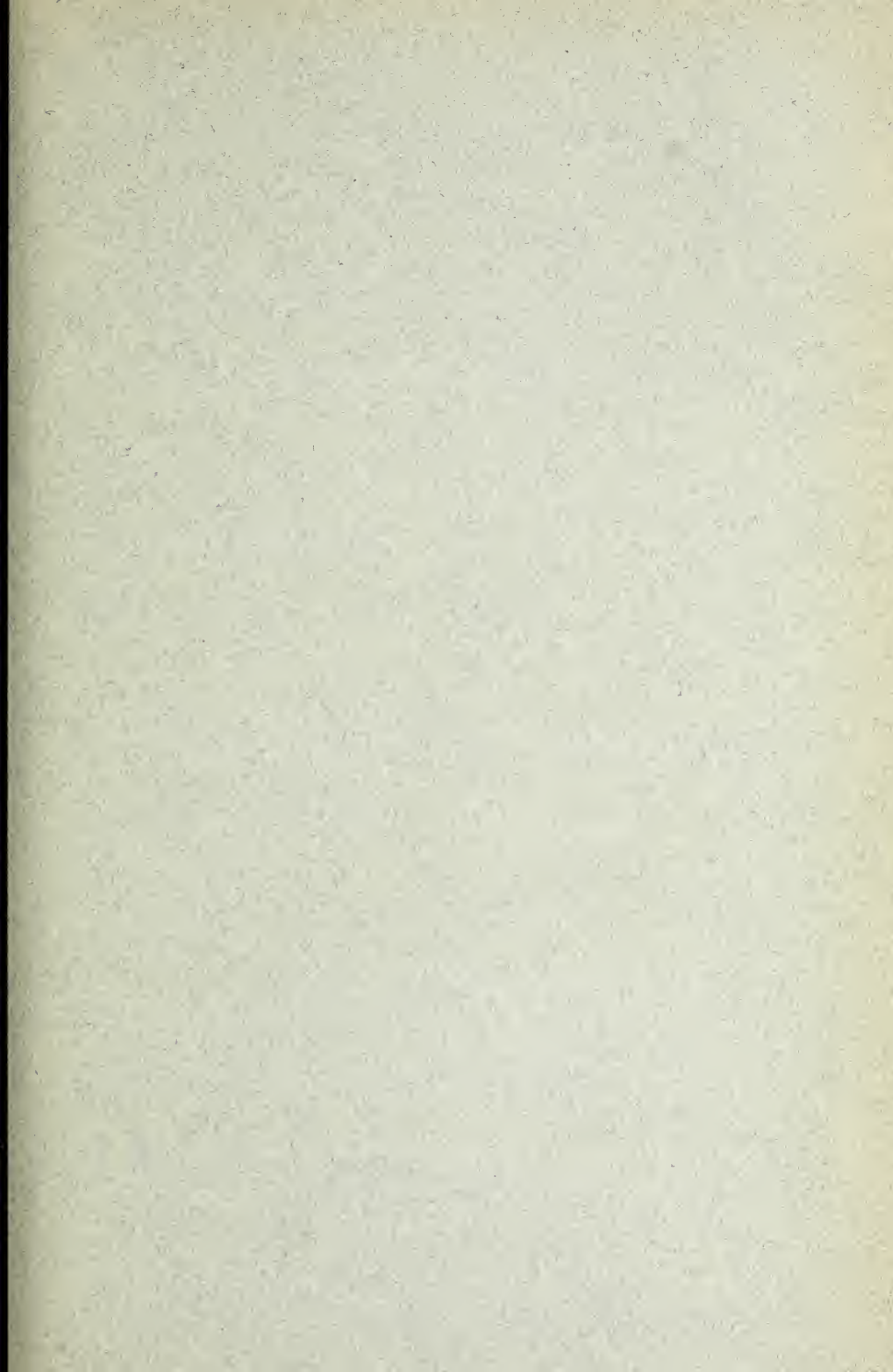
38 Elizabeth; bap. Sept. 26, 1779 (p. 859.)

39 William; bap. Mar. 13, 1782 (p. 860.)

40 Jeremiah White; bap. Nov. 14, 1784 (p. 903.)

(Gen. Notes W3)

CORLISS—Died, at Yarmouthville, Me., Feb. 8, 1884, Robert Elwell Corliss, aged eighty-four years ten months and seven days. See No. 53, page 287.



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AUGUSTUS W. CORLISS.

Yarmouth, Maine, }
July 1st, 1883. }

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NORTH YARMOUTH NECROLOGY,
1736 to 1762.

[BY REV. AMASA LORING.]

(Copied from the diary of Rev. Nicholas Loring.)

1736.

Jan. 30 Richard Webber. Feb. 5 Mary P., dau. of Stephen & Margaret Larrabee. Apr. 28 John, son of John & Patience Hammond. May 14 Wife of John Sweetser. Oct. 7 Elise, dau. of Noah & Hannah Mitchell. 19 Child of Susannah Brown. Dec. 7 Lydia, dau. of James Tuttle (the first by throat distemper.) 18 Esther, dau. of Barnabas Winslow.

1737.

Jan. 20 Child of Joseph Jones. Mar. — Daughter of Margaret Webber; daughter of James Anderson; son of James Babage. Apr. — Daughter of Eben Clough; 26 dau. of James Anderson; 28 Sarah Chandler. May 5 son of Jas. Anderson. June 5 Susanna Brown; 7 Child of James Anderson. Aug. — Miriam, Simeon, Daniel and Mary, ch. of Jacob & Mary Brown; — Martha Chandler; 15 ch. of Barnabas Soule. Sept. 13 Huldah Mitchell; — Peter and Daniel, ch. of Peter & Sarah Weare.

Oct. 1 Matthew Burnell; 5 Sarah and Robert Burnell; 6 Jas. Burnell; 8 Content, dau. of Peter & Sarah Weare; Capt. Stephen Larrabee. Nov. 10 Sarah, dau. of John Hammond; 17 Stephen, son of Stephen & Margaret Larrabee; 21 George Drinkwater; 29 son of Benjamin Ingersoll; 30 wife of Benj. Welch.

Goodspeed - 50.00 (8 10/15)

Dec. 1 Benj. Prince; dau. of Geo. Drinkwater; 2 son of Benj. Ingersoll, Jr.; 5 Rebecca York.

In the year 1737, 34 persons died in town,— 11 grown persons, 2 married women, 3 married men, 5 young women, 1 young man and 23 children.

1738.

Jan. 7 Daniel McDaniel. Mar. 6 Wife and child of Brion O'Hegan. Apr. — Hannah, Samuel and (May 4) Mary, ch. of Barnabas Seabury. May 28 Susanna Gooding. June 3 Seabury and (17th) Benjamin, sons of Gilbert & Patience Winslow; 19 Stephen, son of Barnabas & Mercy Winslow; — Benj. Day; Mary, Jeremiah and Hannah, ch. of Benoni & Mary Fogg; Peter and Thomas Ring.

July 21 Peter Wyman; 22 Eleanor and David Stephens. Aug. 24 Isaac Mitchell. Oct. 30 Naomi Harris. The total is 21; 18 children, 2 young men and 1 married woman.

1739.

This year, through Divine goodness, no deaths in town.

1740.

Feb. 29 Sarah, dau. of Saml. Baker. Apr. — Wife of Robert Dawes.

1741.

Apr. 27 Abner Brown. May 16 Miriam, dau. of Jacob Brown; child of Daniel Orr. July 8 Issacher Winslow.

1742.

May — John, son of Solomon & Mary Mitchell. Sept. 24 Enos, son of Benoni Fogg. Oct. 3 John Powell, Esq.

1743.

Apr. 3 Daughter of Elisha French; 13 (eve.) Capt. Peter Weare (by drowning.) Aug. 30 Thomas Ross.

1744.

Jan. 5 Sarah Prince. Apr. 17 Susanna, dau. of Saml. Baker.

July 23 Rebecca, wf. of Benj. Prince. — James Russell; wf. of Mr. Gray; Widow Prince. Nov. 17 Andrew Ring. Dec. 21 Dea. Jacob Mitchell, 1st. 8 in all.

1745.

Mar. 25 Sarah, dau. of Rev. A. R. Cutter.

1746.

Mar. 7 Silvanus, son of Dea. John White. Apr. 18 Lydia, dau. of Solomon & Deborah Mitchell. May — Mary, wf. of Robert Dore. June 19 Miriam, dau. of Jacob & Lydia Brown. July 28 Mehitable, dau. of Benjamin Mitchell. Aug. 9 Philip Greely, killed by Indians [near No. 9 schoolhouse]; 22 Jacob, son of Ebenezer & Anna Clough. Nov. 7 Joseph Brown.

1747.

Mar. 26 Elizabeth, wf. of Capt. ——— Stevens. Apr. 17 Joseph, son of John Sweetser. Sept. 27 William, son of Solomon & Deborah Mitchell. Nov. 1 Dea. John White.

1748.

Apr. — George Goodwin, & William, his son, drowned. June 20 Ebenezer Eaton, killed by Indians on the Ledge. Aug. 10 Sarah, dau. of John Foss. Oct. 8 ch. of Joseph Mitchell; 18 Rachel, dau. of Amos & Hannah Harris; 23 James, son of Dea. John White; 25 Isaac Howland, son of Joseph; 28 Josiah, son of John Foss; 30 Thomas, son of Dea. John White.

Nov. 7 Harriet & Rachel, daus. of Solomon & Elsie Loring; 15 John Foss; 30 John Mitchell, Total, 14.

1749.

Aug. 17 Hannah, dau. of Moses Bradbury.

1750.

May — Jacob, son of Jacob Brown, Jr. Apr. — Elisha, son of Joseph French. Nov. 6 Samuel, son of Saml. Fisher, Jr.

1751.

Feb. 7 Mercy Morton. May 2 Samuel Baker; 12 son of Andrew Tuck; 19 Ephraim, son of John Loring, Senior. Sept. 10 Benj. Larrabee, drowned. Oct. 18 Wife of Moses Brown; 25 Joseph Fellows, killed by a fall. Nov. 12 Wife of Danl. Paul; 22 ch. of Jos. Mitchell, Jr.

1752.

May 1 Hannah, wf. of Gideon Eaton; — Ebenezer Bishop. July 16 Mrs. Rachel Denny, died in Georgetown, former wife of the late Dea. John White, and sister of Rev. Nicholas Loring. Dec. 13 Ann Drew, small-pox.

1753.

Jan. 1 Catherine Loring. Feb. 17 Child of Horton Mitchell. June 15 Axie, dau. of Robert Bailey. Oct. 5 Child of Ebenezer

(Clough?); 6 Judith Sweetser; 30 Zenas Winslow. Nov. 10 James Troughit, an Indian boy.

1754.

Jan. 12 Hannah and Joshua, ch. of Zachariah Chandler; 14 wf. of Robert Johnson. May 8 John Larrabee; Margaret, 2d wf. of Dea. Saml. Seabury. June 13 Wife of James Tuttle, Jr. Oct. 8 Jane ———; 22 Nicholas, son of Solomon Loring; 25 William, son of Isaac Bowles. Total, 9.

1755.

Jan. 17 Isaac, son of Andrew Tufts; 29 Samuel, son of Saml. Fisher, Jr.; 31 Mercy, dau. of Zachariah Chandler. Mar. 31 Ch. of Joshua Spear. Apr. 11 Benj. Ingersoll; 26 Hannah, wid. of Ebenezer Eaton. May 26 Jacob Mitchell, Jr., drowned, bro. of Hon. David Mitchell.

Sept. 23 and 26 Hannah, Jane and James, ch. of Ephraim Sturtevant. Oct. 24 Capt. Cornelius Soule; Abigail Chandler, dau. of Edmund. Nov. 2 Child of Mr. Dillenoe [Delano?]; 4 Rhoda, dau. of Edmund Chandler; 20 Hannah, dau. of Zachariah Chandler; 24 Judith, wf. of John Hayes. Dec. 6 Daniel Paul. Total, 18.

1756.

Apr. 5 Benjamin, son of Benj. Prince; 12 Amos, son of Benj. True; 29 James Beverage, killed by Indians in New Boston. May 5 Thos. Maines and infant child, killed by Indians in Freeport. June 8 Solomon, son of John Williams, and another child. July 8 Rebecca, wid. of Dea. Jacob Mitchell, Senior; 17 Sarah, wid. of John Ross. Dec. — Joseph, son of Joseph Ross. Total, 10.

1757.

Jan. 26 Rhoda, dau. of Eleonora Clough. Feb. 9 Celia, dau. of Solomon & Elsie Loring; 16 Rachel, dau. of Jacob, Jr., & Jane Mitchell. Sept. 18 Jonathan, son of John Sweetser, Jr.; 26 Timothy, son of Jonathan Chandler.

Oct. 3 Silvester, son of Richmond Scales; 6 Samuel & Thomas, sons of Nathaniel Blanchard, Jr.; 28 Anna, dau. of Mary Mason. Dec. 19 Andrew Gray, drowned: — Ephraim Sturtevant, died at Albany.

1758.

Jan. 8 James Anderson; Widow Sarah Webber. Mar. 19 Mary, dau. of Moses Brown. Apr. 10 Joseph, son of John & Mary Lewis; Joseph Crediford, killed at Ticonderoga. Aug. 26 Reuben Gage; 8 Rebecca, dau. of Joshua Curtis; 9 Joshua

Curtis; 10 David Fogg; 14 the deaths of John Homes, John Hammon, Benjamin Welch & John Williams, at Lake George, soldiers in the war, was heard of. Nov. 18 John Brown. Dec. 6 Jacob Brown & William Hooper, in the war.

1759.

Jan. 31 Widow Martha Chandler, wf. of Joseph. Apr. 13 Rebecca, wf. of Samuel Fisher; 15 ch. of Benj. Hammon, Jr.; 18 Bettie, dau. of Joseph Johnson; 25 John, son of John Williams. Sept. 30 Capt. Henry Woolf.

1760.

Feb. 14 Negro child of Landers; 28 Judith, dau. of John & Jane Hayes. Mar. 8 Joseph, son of John & Jane Hayes; 25 ch. of Widow Lydia Wyman; 26 Silvester Richmond, son of Thomas Soule; ch. of Eleazer Brown. Aug. 26 Seth Mitchell [1st Ch. Cat. is wrong?] Dec. 19 Child of Joseph Weare.

1761.

Jan. 30 Child of Joseph Johnson. Apr. 18 Barnabas Seabury's wife; 25 ch. of William Cutter. June --- Content, wf. of Benj. Mitchell. Sept. 7 Elizabeth Loring. Dec. 16 Wife of Nathan Titcomb; 22 William Barre, a stranger.

1762.

Jan. 17 David Barker's infant. Apr. 1 Eleazer Brown's infant; 11 Edmund Lewis' infant. May 9 Sarah, wf. of Enoch Harvey; 18 Widow Susanna Soule. June 2 Child of Mr. York. Sept. 9 Samuel Bucknam. Nov. 15 Widow Lydia Wyman; 24 Isaiah Mitchell, drowned; 28 George Bartlett's child.

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REMINISCENCES

OF

BETHIAH (BAKER) CLOUGH.

Bethiah (Baker) Clough, wife of Amos Clough, a daughter of Samuel and Susanna (Mitchell) Baker, was born July 14, 1741 (bap. July 19, p. 613), and was living in 1833, see pp. 230, 909. She said at that time to Rev. David Shepley:—

Barrett Potter was the second lawyer who lived in North Yarmouth. He was born in Lebanon, N. H., graduated at Dartmouth College, and came to North Yarmouth in Nov. 1801 and remained until Mar. 1805, then removed to Gorham and afterwards to Portland. He was appointed Judge of Probate for Cumberland County in Feb. 1822.

My father, Samuel Baker, came to North Yarmouth, Me., from Marshfield, Mass. His wife was Susanna Mitchell [No. 17 in Mitchell Family, p. 248], and sister of Deacon Jacob Mitchell.

Gilbert Winslow was a cousin to my father. They came here about the same time. I was thirteen years old when my father died. He lived and died on the spot where the workhouse now stands, which was built by my brother, Samuel Baker, on the spot where our old house stood.

Old Mrs. Powell, widow of John Powell, died in Boston. She was a very pious woman. She was named Ann Dummer.;

Almost every house was a garrison,—ours was one. I well remember when Ebenezer Eaton was killed on the Ledge and Benjamin Lake taken prisoner.

I remember old Mr. Royal. Jacob and Elias were his sons. I also remember the old lady. Winthrop Royal, the tailor, [see No. 27, p. 579, also pp. 613, 660, 749, 751, 804, 902, 907], was also a brother [of whom?] The old man had a negro "Pomp." I was at Priscilla Royal's wedding; she married a Haskell.

I remember when the Mitchell and Chandler boys were taken by the Indians. It was Saturday,—the boys had eaten dinner and been sent from Mr. Mitchell's place after the cows. Young Chandler came home by way of France.

I went to school to Robert Bailey.

Amos Clough, aged ninety-one years, says: I was born in Brentwood, N. H. Benjamin Welch, of this town, was my uncle. He came from Kingston, N. H. I came to North Yarmouth to see my uncle the next year after the meeting-house was enlarged in April [1763], and worked at Col. Powell's until the fall of 1765. I was married to my present wife the spring before [May, 1765], and moved to the farm I now live on the next fall [1766.] I bought my land of Powell.

I suppose Col. Powell was about 47 or 48 years old when I came to North Yarmouth, and he was as much as 55 years old when he was married [Sept. 15, 1768.] His mother was a sister to Gov. Dummer, from whom Col. Powell told me he received a large estate.

Col. Powell was a very pleasant man and used his workmen well. He used to have rum in haying-time. He built his tomb the second year I lived with him. I assisted in removing the

remains of Col. Powell's father and Parson Loring from their graves into this tomb.

When Col. Powell's sisters were in Boston, black "Poll" was housekeeper. When I came to North Yarmouth, Tuttle had commenced his settlement. Israel and John True came from Salisbury, Mass., and had begun to clear land before I came. Old Mrs. Cutter died after I came to North Yarmouth. Her maiden name was Dorothy Bradbury,—a sister to a Bradbury who lived on the Royal farm road. Gilbert Winslow died a short time before the Revolution [error, see p. 1103.]

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RECORD OF BAPTISMS,

AT THE

FIRST CHURCH, NORTH YARMOUTH.

(Continued from page 1057.)

1833.

June 23 Mary Elizabeth, ch. of Levi & Sarah Whitecomb; William Wilberforce, ch. of John & Esther Gooch. July 2 Fred. A., ch. of Frederick A. & Priscilla Pomeroy; 16 Joseph, ch. of Ezekiel & Sarah Merrill; 30 Enos, ch. of William & Eliza Ann Chandler; 31 Margaret Grace, ch. of David & Hannah Loring.

Aug. 4 Elizabeth, Jonah Kenney, Mary, Susan Blanchard, Joseph, Sarah, ch. of Joseph & Sarah Holmes; 11 Jane, ch. of Joseph, Jr., & Harriet Chandler; 4 Esther Fogg, adult, [904 1st Ch.]; 25 Frances Maria [260, p. 794], ch. of Silvanus & Matilda Prince. Sept. 29 David, ch. of Samuel & Eliza Mason. Oct. 27 Susan Harris, Ann Blanchard, ch. of Gad & Mary L. Hitchcock.

1834.

May 4 Margaret Elizabeth, ch. of David & Mary Gray; 11 Caroline, ch. of John & Sophronia Young. June 8 Ambrose, ch. of Philip & Mary A. Eastman; Prentiss, [270, p. 932], ch. of Jacob G. & Desiah Loring; Samuel Frederick, ch. of Daniel, Jr., & Martha Mitchell; 22 David Shepley, ch. of Daniel & Theodosia Mitchell; Sydney, ch. of William & Susan Anderson; 29

Penelope Pelham [203, p. 408], adult, wf. of William Seabury; Maria Titcomb [911, 1st Ch.], adult, dau. of William.

July 27 Mary Pelham [211, p. 408], ch. of William & Penelope P. Seabury; Lucy Jane, adopted ch. of John & Nancy [62, p. 768] Cutter. Aug. 3 Ferdinand [177, p. 399], ch. of Theophilus & Louisa Drinkwater. Sept. 14 Sarah Bucknam [384, p. 850], ch. of Reuben & Deborah Prince. Oct. 19 Nancy Maria [172, p. 387] ch. of Richmond & Jeanette Storer; 26 Alford, ch. of Capt. Samuel & Eleanor Mason. Nov. 2 Alvan, ch. of Jonathan & Deborah Soule; Walter Henry, ch. of Frederick & Priscilla Pomeroy. Oct. 5 Matthias Allen [915, 1st Ch.], an adult. Dec. 7 Harriet Noble, William Gooding, ch. of Matthias & Elizabeth Allen.

1835.

Apr. 19 Elizabeth Coggswell, ch. of Rev. David & Myra Shepley; 26 John Gray, ch. of Levi & Sarah Whitcomb. May 3 Jane Hutchins [919, 1st Ch.], adult. June 7 Joseph Homes [922, 1st Ch.], adult. Aug. 9 Mary Lewis, ch. of Ezekiel & Sarah Merrill.

1836.

June 3 John, ch. of William & Eliza Ann Chandler; 12 Asa, ch. of Philip & Mary A. Eastman; Edward Noyes, ch. of Fred. & Priscilla Pomeroy; 19 Gustavus [173, p. 837], ch. of Richmond & Jeanette Storer.

July 17 Samuel Sweetser, ch. of Gad & Mary L. Hitchcock; 24 Sarah Elizabeth, ch. of John & Esther Gooch; 31 Mary Fenton, ch. of Jonathan & Mary Bradford. Aug. 7 William Merrill [930, 1st Ch.], adult. Sept. — Mary Elizabeth, ch. of Samuel & Eleanor Mason.

1837.

Apr. 23 Phebe Pierce, ch. of William B. & S. R. P. Gooch; 30 Alice Cushing, ch. of John K. & Sophronia Young. May 14 Francis Maubeck, ch. of Perez [245, p. 931] & Margaret J. Loring. July 23 Eliza Greely [174, p. 887], ch. of Richmond L. & Jeanette Storer.

Sept. 3 George Clinton Swallow [939, 1st Ch.], adult; Chas. Packard [941, 1st Ch.], adult; Charles Humphrey [937, 1st Ch.], adult; Ann Humphrey Blanchard [949, 1st Ch.], adult; Olive Drinkwater Preble [945, 1st Ch.], adult; Mary Ann Cutter [946, 1st Ch.], adult; Alfred, ch. of Tristram G. & Elizabeth B. Mitchell. July 2 (omitted) Jane, ch. of Joseph, Jr., & Harriet Chandler. Sept. 10 Jane Trow, ch. of Tristram G. & Mary Cleaves; 24 Sarah Johnson, ch. of Rev. David & Myra Shepley.

Oct. 1 Ezekiel, ch. of Ezekiel & Sarah Merrill. Dec. 31 Leah Merrill [232, p. 890], ch. of Charles & Rebecca Humphrey.

1838.

July 15 Betsey Ann Hatch, Lydia, Nathaniel Otis, ch. of Nathaniel & Betsey P. True; 22 Harriet Lincoln, Martha Mitchell, Edward, ch. of Edward & Olive D. Preble; Augustus, ch. of Samuel & Alice Kenney; Lucy Maria, ch. of William & Eliza A. Chandler.

Oct. 7 Esther Miranda, ch. of Nathaniel & ——— Merrill; Helen Elizabeth [186, p. 407], ch. of Edwin & Elizabeth Seabury; 29 Sumner [182], George Payson [183], Samuel [184], Sarah [185, p. 407], ch. of David & Mary Seabury. Nov. 4 Isaac Bailey, adult [Isaac Perley, 965 1st Ch.?]; Bethia Allen [967, 1st Ch.], adult.

1839.

May 5 Jane Manson Hamilton [970, 1st Ch.], adult. June 30 Jacob Wendell [271, p. 932], ch. of Jacob G. & Desiah Loring. July 14 Martha Walker, ch. of John K. & Sophronia Young. Sept. 15 Harlan Page [385, p. 850], ch. of Reuben & Deborah Prince; Maria Henry, ch. of Frederick A. & Priscilla Pomeroy; 29 Allen Palmer, ch. of Allen H. & Harriet Weld. Oct. 6 Jonas Wendell, ch. of Samuel & Eleanor Mason; Sarah Lincoln, ch. of Levi & Sarah Whitcomb. Nov. 3 Emma, Ann Gray, Solomon, ch. of Solomon [329, p. 936], deceased, & Alethea Loring.

1840.

May 3 Harriet Ann, Emily Malvina, Rachel Cutter, Mary Eliza, Moses Merrill, ch. of Joseph W. & Eliza Small; Samuel, Mary Eliza, ch. of Samuel & Eliza Mason; 10 Mary Brown, ch. of Rev. David & Myra Shepley. June 28 Ellen, Desiah Loring, ch. of Ebenezer & Betsey Bates.

July 12 Asa Plummer Chase, Adoniram Judson, Edward Vespasian, Gilbert Fayette, ch. of Asa & Polly Winslow. Aug. 2 Mary Gould Hawes [1012, 1st Ch.] [19, p. 842], adult; Rachel Drinkwater Mason [1010, 1st Ch.], adult; 9 David Gray, Mary Gray, ch. of John & Rachel D. Mason; Charles, ch. of Giles & Sarah M. Loring [see p. 935.]

Aug. 17 Julia Elizabeth, child of David M. & Pamela G. Longley; Mary Eliza, Julia Orman, ch. of Josiah & Susan Soule. Sept — Theophilus Thompson, ch. of Nathaniel & ——— Merrill.

1841.

July 25 Grenville Stephen, adopted ch. of Jeremiah [318, p. 849], and Molly Prince; Lydia Skillin, ch. of Samuel S. & Mary

R. Hayes ; Mary Ann, ch. of Tristram G. [35, p. 767], & Elizabeth B. Mitchell ; Lucy, Abba, [162, 163, p. 406], ch. of Albion & Dorcas Seabury. Aug. 1 Charles, ch. of John & Sophronia Young.

Sept. 5 Abigail. ch. of Tristram G. & Mary Cleaves ; Ann, Mary Lewis, ch. of Edward H. & Mary A. Mitchell ; George, ch. of John & Rachel D. Mason ; 19 Elizabeth Webster [88, p. 378], ch. of John Webster & Margaret Seabury ; William Franklin, ch. of Edward & Olive D. Preble ; 22 George Edwin [73, p. 836], ch. of Asa & Martha Humphrey ; 26 Cordelia, Samuel Gray, Henry Smith, ch. of Jeremiah & Julia Bucknam. Nov. 7 Joseph, ch. of Levi & Sarah Whitcomb.

1842.

Mar. 6 Phebe Parker [1045, 1st Ch.], adult, wife of Joseph ; Sarah Jane Baker [1050, 1st Ch.], adult ; Elizabeth, ch. of Matthias & Elizabeth Allen ; Sarah Kilby, ch. of William & Susan Anderson. Aug. 21 Charles Henry, John Humphrey, [175-6, p. 887], ch. of Richmond L. & Jeanette Storer.

Sept. 25 Charles Edwin, ch. of Samuel S. & Mary R. Hayes ; Levi Mitchell [279, p. 846], ch. of Paul & Charlotte Prince ; 26 Maria, ch. of Rev. David & Myra Shepley. Nov. 20 Eugenia, ch. of Joseph [106, p. 392] & Anna Drinkwater

1843.

June 18 Emma Olive, ch. of John D. & Olive D. Blanchard ; Mary, Joseph Warren, ch. of Jonathan Mason.

1844.

(No date.) George Hayden, ch. of Allen H. & Harriet Weld ; David Francis, ch. of Levi & Sarah Whitcomb.

1845.

June 29 William, ch. of William & Eliza A. Chandler ; William Thaxter, ch. of Samuel B. & Sarah Jane Mitchell. July 6 Abby Jane [177, p. 887], ch. of Richmond L. & Jeanette Storer ; 13 Mary Eliza, ch. of William & Susan Anderson ; Maria Bucknam [89, p. 378], ch. of John Webster & Margaret Seabury. Oct. 5 Desiah Loring, ch. of Samuel S. & Mary R. Hayes ; Rachel Augusta, ch. of F. A. & P. Pomeroy.

1846.

July 26 John Robinson, ch. of Rev. David & Myra Shepley. Aug. 30 Mary Mitchell, ch. of David M. [246, p. 931] & Theodosia Loring. Sept. 13 William Newhall, Augustus Hermon, [280-1, p. 846], ch. of Paul & Charlotte Prince.

1847.

Feb. 7 George Allen, ch. of Joseph [106, p. 392] & Anna Drinkwater; Nathan Oakes, ch. of Capt. Joseph Chandler, Jr.; Augusta, ch. of Capt. Samuel (deceased) & Eleanor Mason. July 25 Margaret Ellen [90, p. 378], ch. of John Webster & Margaret Seabury. Oct. 17 Emma, ch. of Capt. Francis & — Lawrence. Nov. 7 Thomas Gilman, Rachel Brown, ch. of Tristram G. & Mary Cleaves.

1848.

Apr. 30 Sarah Dudley, ch. of Barnabas & Sarah Freeman. June 4 Eliza Edes [1075, 1st Ch.] Oct. 12 Harriet Sweetser [178, p. 887], ch. of Richmond L. & Jeanette Storer. Nov. 12 Samuel Harris, ch. of Rev. Samuel H. & Pamela P. Shepley. Dec. 31 Levi Woodbury, ch. of Levi & Sarah Whitcomb.

1849.

July 1 Harriet Elizabeth [142, p. 919], ch. of Samuel & Lydia V. Ring. (By Rev. S. H. Shepley.)

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THE GRAY FAMILY.

1 Andrew Gray (son of John, of Harwich, Mass., p. 33), 132 1st Ch., North Yarmouth, Me., Mar. 31, 1745; born Sept. 29, 1707; drowned in crossing Broad Cove, North Yarmouth, Dec. 19, 1757 (p. 1108); (see pp. 33, 304, 318, 346, 347, 590, 709, 796, 958.) He married, 1731,—

2 Phebe Chandler; No. 24½, p. 1096; b. 1707; d. Sept. 23, 1744; dau. of Joseph and Mary (Hunt) Chandler of North Yarmouth. He married, 2d, Dec. 19, 1745 (int. of m. Nov. 29, 1745, pp. 653, 658, 914),—

3 Zeruah (Standish) Ring, widow of Andrew Ring (see p. 913, also No. 2, p. 914), who died Apr. 26, 1798, aged 92 years; 58 1st Ch.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me., (1737, p. 492.)

Occupation: Farmer.

Children:

GRAY.

(10) 4 John; b. Nov. 27, 1732; bap. Nov. 6, 1737 (p. 492); d. Dec. 27, 1796.

(35) 5 Joseph; b. Nov. 19, 1734; bap. Nov. 6, 1737 (p. 492); d. July 17, 1792.

(47) 6 Andrew; b. Jan. 12, 1736; bap. Nov. 6, 1737 (p. 492); d. Dec. 8, 1810.

7 Mehitabel; 248 1st Ch.; b. Dec. 25, 1739 (bap. Dec. 30, p. 493); d. Mar. 15, 1808; m. William Cutter; see No. 7, p. 765, for family.

8 Rhoda; b. Jan. 12, 1741; bap. Apr. 25, 1742 (p. 613); d. Aug. 10, 1780; m. Abraham Mitchell. 276 1st Ch.

9 Joshua (Josiah?); b. Jan. 22, 1743; bap. Apr. 8, 1744 (p. 614); removed to Barnstable, Mass.

10 Ebenezer; 275 1st Ch.; b. Sept. 20, 1746 (bap. do., p. 615); d. June 19, 1779; m. Dorcas Mitchell; d. childless.

(4) John Gray, (280, 1st Ch., May 9, 1773), married, Nov. 1755 (Nov. 2, 1748, p. 658),—

11 Sarah Mitchell; 278 1st Ch.; b. 1736; d. May 27, 1796; No. 27, p. 249.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me., (p. 711)

Occupation: Ship-master; Farmer; Captain of North Yarmouth Company in Revolutionary War.

Children: GRAY.

12 Phebe; b. Dec. 11, 1755; bap. Feb. 1, 1756 (p. 664); d. Jan. 27, 1822; m. Thomas Loring (53, p. 881.)

13 Andrew; b. July 18, 1758; drowned, June 5, 1763 (p. 1008.)

14 Jonathan; bap. Mar. 23, 1761 (p. 714.)

15 Jane; b. Nov. 23, 1760; d. Oct. 4, 1839; m. Jacob Hayes (368, 1st Ch.)

16 Sarah; bap. Sept. 22, 1765 (p. 716); d. Feb. 11, 1784.

17 Keziah; b. Mar. 29, 1763; d. Mar. 6, 1819; m. Perez Drinkwater (27, p. 393); (4, p. 711.)

18 Lot; bap. Feb. 6, 1774 (p. 802); another authority (p. 711) says b. and d. 1767, aged 10 mos.

19 Rachel; b. Sept. 20, 1767; bap. Jan. 3, 1768 (p. 748); d. Aug. 25, 1825; m. Zadoc Whitcomb, Mar. 16, 1791 (p. 725.)

20 Rhoda; b. Oct. 7, 1769 (bap. Oct. 8, p. 749); d. Aug. 21, 1831; m., Mar. 27, 1787, Thaddeus Robbins (pp. 711, 773.)

(24) 21 John; b. Jan. 19, 1772 (bap. Jan. 26, p. 752); d. July 23, 1825.

22 Jacob; b. Dec. 31, 1774; bap. Jan. 8, 1775 (p. 804); d. June 10, 1798, at St. Pierre, Martinique; m. Apphia (not Alpha, p. 712) Drinkwater (50, p. 389.)

23 David; b. Mar. 12, 1777 (bap. Mar. 23, p. 857); d. at Savannah, Ga., Aug. 6, 1819; m. Rachel Drinkwater (No. 61, p. 390); also see No. 44, p. 30, also date of m., Oct. 4, 1829, p. 101.)

24 Olive; b. May 25, 1779 (bap. May 30, p. 858); d. Aug. 24, 1860; for personal sketch see pages 709, 958.

(18) John Gray married,—

25 Joanna Drinkwater (No. 32, pp. 388, 400), daughter of John and Susanna (Brown) Drinkwater, born Mar. 14, 1774, (bap. Mar. 20, p. 802), d. Jan. 14, 1841 (p. 712.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Shipmaster.

26 Sarah Mitchell; b. Sept. 6, 1795; m. Joshua Porter.

27 John; b. Mar. 27, 1797; d. June 30, 1821, at Havana, Cuba.

28 Jacob; b. Dec. 31, 1798; lost at sea, Feb. —, 1833.

29 Susan Brown; b. June 10, 1801; m. Isaac Skillin.

30 Frederick Augustus; b. July 21, 1804; supposed to have been lost at sea with his brother Jacob, Feb. —, 1833; m. Rachel Gray; son John A. (see p. 774), bookbinder, N. Y. City.

31 Perez; b. Aug. 8, 1806; d. 1850; m. Lydia Bacon.

32 Rhoda Ann; b. Nov. 5, 1808; d. Dec. 29, 1869; m. Ephraim Brown.

33 David Mitchell; b. Jan. 9, 1811; d. Feb. 10, 1811.

34 Dorcas Mitchell; b. Dec. 15, 1812; unm.; res. Oregon.

35 Rotheus Drinkwater; b. Apr. 22, 1816; d. July 4, 1857; m. Maria Noland.

(5) Joseph Gray married,—

36 Mary Loring, daughter of Rev. Nicholas and Mary (Richmond) Loring, b. Nov. 22, 1744, d. Nov. 7, 1796; No. 30, p. 880; 426, 1st Ch.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation; Farmer.

Children:

GRAY.

37 Mary; bap. Sept. 29, 1765 (p. 716); 213, p. 930.

38 Levi; bap. June 14, 1767 (p. 718); d. young.

39 Andrew; bap. May 25, 1769 (p. 749); m. Jane Drinkwater (p. 930.)

40 Joseph; bap. Nov. 4, 1770 (p. 751); m. Content Johnson (p. 930.)

41 Charlotte; bap. July 19, 1772; d. unm.

42 Hannah; bap. Apr. 24, 1774 (p. 803); m. Allen Drinkwater (19, p. 391.)

43 Watson; bap. Jan. 7, 1776 (p. 804); d. unm.

44 Nicholas Loring; bap. Dec. 21, 1777 (p. 857); m. Sarah Field (13, p. 450.)

45 Reuben; bap. June 25, 1780 (p. 859); d. unm.

46 Lucy; bap. Apr. 20, 1783 (p. 901); d. young.

47 Ebenezer; bap. May 6, 1787 (p. 905); d. young.

- (6) Andrew Gray married,—
 48 Elizabeth Bucknam; b. Nov. 5, 1741; bap. Jan. 3, 1742 (p. 613); p. 347. He married, 2d,—
 49 Widow Margaret (Adams) Johnson; 621, 1st Ch.; p. 586.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children:

GRAY.

- 50 Elizabeth; bap. Apr. 7, 1766 (p. 717.)
 51 Pamelia; bap. May 17, 1767 (p. 718.)
 52 Samuel; bap. May 25, 1769 (p. 749.)
 53 Lucretia; bap. Apr. 14, 1771 (p. 751.)
 54 Seba; bap. July 11, 1773 (p. 802.)
 55 Phebe; d. Aug. 3, 1774.
 56 Dorcas; bap. Sept. 10, 1775 (p. 804.)
 57 Ebenezer; bap. Oct. 26, 1777 (p. 857.)
 58 Susanna; bap. Mar. 19, 1780 (p. 859.)
 59 Nathaniel; bap. Aug. 18, 1782 (p. 861.)

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THE OLD ELM TREE.

[BY REV. AMASA LORING.]

Yarmouth Corner may well claim a notoriety for its stately, towering and beautiful shade trees; among which the elm has a preeminence. This is singular, for much of its soil is dry and sandy, and one would think it illy adapted to such rapid and giant growth.

Over them all, the Old Elm, at the corner of the brick store, has a preeminence. Its sturdy trunk out-measures them all. Its height, though many of its juniors may now wave loftier branches, towers fifty feet or more from its roots. It was never transplanted, but is indigenous to the spot which it claims as its own. The late Ebenezer Corliss, who immigrated from New Hampshire to this place in 1786, was wont to say that it came up spontaneously in an old hedge fence, which then separated the public highway from the primeval forest, and that he remembered it when it was

not larger than a goadstick, so nearly a century has been adding to its dimensions, and now its circumference at the butt measures nearly fifteen feet.

Quite early, certainly before 1817, it became notable, being selected as a posting-place for public notices, and this honor and service it still retains undisputed. Many, who once passed with buoyant step beneath its grateful shade, or listened to its sighing breezes as they swept through its giant branches,—are seen no more among us; buildings, which it once overshadowed, have been demolished and others of more magnificence have succeeded them,—but unrenewed and undecayed, it still stands as a way-mark and landmark in the history of this village. (1847)

THE BUCKNAM FAMILY.

1 William Bucknam, of Charlestown, Mass., (the part now Malden), had, by second wife Sarah (2), a son Joses (3), born in 1641, who lived in Malden, who married Judith Worth (4) in 1673 and died Aug. 29, 1694. Joses (3) had eight children, the eldest being,—

5 Samuel; born 1674; who married, Sept. 22, 1697, at Malden, Mass.,—

6 Mrs. Deborah (Sprague) Mellen. (See pages 111, 112, 318, 319, 395, 396, 500, 638, 643, 873.)

Residence: Portland, Me.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children:

BUCKNAM.

(29) 7 Samuel; b. Apr. 7, 1699.

8 Phebe; b. Oct. 22, 1700.

9 Abigail; b. June 7, 1702.

10 Lydia; b. Jan. 23, 1704.

11 Mehitable; b. Oct. 1, 1705.

12 William; b. Nov. 8, 1706; d. young.

13 John; b. Nov. 8, 1707.

(16) 14 William; b. July 3, 1709.

15 Benjamin; b. Aug. 1, 1711.

16 Deborah; b. Mar. 11, 1714.

(14) William Bucknam married, 1736,—

17 Ann Pote.

Residence: Portland, Me.

Children:

BUCKNAM.

18 Deborah; b. Oct. 10, 1737; d. Dec. 16, 1761.

19 William; b. July 27, 1739; d. Oct. 7, 1761; m. Mary Buxton (p. 395.)

20 John; b. July 17, 1741; d. young.

21 Lydia; 295, 1st Ch., No. Yarmouth, July 31, 1774; b. July 16, 1742; d. Feb. 7, 1778; int. of m. with Cornelius Buxton, of No. Yarmouth, Apr. 29, 1762 (pp. 32, 396.)

22 Abigail; b. Sept. 26, 1744; d. young.

23 John; b. July 2, 1746; d. 1792; m. Mary Wilson, of Kittery, Me., 1773, (pp. 318, 319),; settled at Columbia Falls, Me., about 1760.

24 Abigail; b. June 15, 1748; d. young.

25 Jeremiah; b. Feb. 11, 1750.

26 Samuel; b. Jan. 1, 1752; d. Apr. 2, 1814.

27 Anna; b. July 8, 1754.

28 Nathan; b. Nov. 11, 1756; d. May 11, 1824.

29 Phebe; b. Feb. 13, 1759; d. young.

(7) Samuel Bucknam (see pp. 72, 112, 464, 507, 538, 539, 613, 638, 643, 654, 659, 662, 681, 686, 742, 797, 873), married, Sept. 19, 1738 (p. 662).—

30 Elizabeth (Richardson) Wyman (No. 203, 1st Ch., July 22, 1759), widow of Aaron Wyman (her cousin), a daughter of James and Elizabeth (Arnold) Richardson, born 1707, (see pp. 500, 638, 643.) For her two Wyman children see pp. 613, 662.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Shipmaster; farmer.

Children:

BUCKNAM.

31 Samuel; b. Oct. 5, 1739; d. before 1751; m. Amy Wyman, who m., 2d, Nathan Oakes (p. 638.)

32 Elizabeth; b. Nov. 5, 1741; bap. Jan. 3, 1742 (p. 613); m. Andrew Gray, b. Jan. 28, 1736, d. Dec. 8, 1810, (see p. 347); No. 48, p. 1118.

33 Lucretia; 254, 1st Ch.; b. May 5, 1744 (bap. May 13, p. 614); d. Aug. 27, 1820; see No. 61, p. 767, and No. 26, pp. 880, 881.

(34) 34 William Richardson; b. Oct. 26, 1747 (bap. Nov. 1, p. 616); d. Dec. 22, 1831 (p. 873.)

(34) William Richardson Bucknam (343, 1st Ch., Sept. 20, 1789), married,—

35 Sarah Loring (No. 316, p. 935), daughter of Solomon

and Alice (Cushman) Loring, b. Apr. 19, 1747 (bap. do., p. 616); 344, 1st Ch.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children:

BUCKNAM.

36 Elizabeth; bap. May 13, 1770 (p. 750); d. Oct. 28, 1845; m. Joseph Chandler; 651, 1st Ch.; see p. 258.

37 Rachel; b. Mar. 25, 1771 (bap. June 16, p. 751); d. May —, 1818; m., Dec. 20, 1791, Samuel Prince, No. 319, pp. 848, 849, 852, where see family.

38 Dorcas; bap. Sept. 6, 1772 (p. 752.)

39 Samuel; bap. Sept. 10, 1775 (p. 804.)

40 William; bap. May 10, 1778 (p. 858.)

41 Sarah; bap. do.

42 Jeremiah; bap. May 7, 1780 (p. 859.)

43 Lucretia; bap. Feb. 16, 1783 (p. 901.)

44 Hannah; bap. Dec. 1, 1793 (p. 944.)

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GENEALOGICAL NOTES.

(Continued from page 1064.)

DECARTERET.—1 Maj. Thomas DeCarteret, a merchant of No. Yarmouth (p. 279), d. before 1831, m., in Boston, Mass., June —, 1816 (p. 283).—

2 Sarah Phillips Groves; 849, 1st Ch., July 3, 1831, dis. to ch. in Pownal, Mar. 26, 1856.

Children:

DECARTERET.

3 Thomas Congram; bap. Aug. 7, 1831 (p. 1056.)

4 Elizabeth Groves; bap. do.; 1089, 1st Ch. June 9, 1850, dis. to ch. in Pownal, Mar. 26, 1856.

5 Hannah Ally; bap. do.; 1080, 1st Ch., June 4, 1848, dis. to ch. in So. Berwick, Oct. 31, 1849; m. Rev. John Moore.

DUNHAM.—Daniel Dunham m. Nov. 8, 1759 (p. 658), Mary Cudiford [Crediford?]

Bethiah Dunham m. Dec. 31, 1815, Thomas Soule; see in full p. 977.

Alfred Dunham m. Charlotte Jones (753, 1st Ch., Oct. 5,

1823, dis. to ch. in Windham May 30, 1832); ch. Martha Oxnard, bap. Oct. 5, 1823 (p. 1053); Charlotte, bap. May 29, 1825 (p. 1054.)

EASTMAN.—1 Philip Eastman (762, 1st Ch., Nov. 6, 1825, p. 1054, of Saco, dis. to ch. in Harrison, Jan. 18, 1837), a lawyer, married,—

2 Mary Ambrose (792, 1st Ch., from ch. in Concord, N. H., dis. as above).

Children:

EASTMAN.

3 Ellen Jane; bap. Feb. 24, 1829 (p. 1055.)

4 Ambrose; bap. June 8, 1834 (p. 1111.)

5 Asa; bap. June 12, 1836 (p. 1112.)

FORBES.—1 Duncan Forbes [Forbis?] (681, 1st Ch., d. Dec. 29, 1855, aged 100 years or more); res. Cumberland, 1820 (p. 585); married,—

2 Mary ——— (588, 1st Ch.), d. Aug. 14, 1824.

Children;

FORBES.

3 Duncan; bap. Oct. 14, 1827 (p. 1054.)

4 Dorcas; bap. Aug. 28, 1831 (p. 1056.)

5 John; bap. do.

GILMAN.—1 Rev. Tristram Gilman (for ancestry see p. 652), (No. 252 1st Ch., North Yarmouth, Feb. 8, 1770, from ch. in Exeter, N. H.); d. Apr. 1, 1809, aged 73 (p. 20, 1st Ch. Cat.) He was 4th pastor of 1st Ch.; grad. Harvard 1757; settled as pastor Dec. 8, 1769; b. Nov. 24, 1735 (age on p. 42 1st Ch. Cat. is wrong, but on p. 59 is right.) See silhouette on p. 55. See pp. 639, 691, 712. He married,—

2 Elizabeth Sayer (277, 1st Ch., Apr. 4, 1773), of Wells, b. 1746, d. Nov. 20 [27?], 1790 (1st Ch. Cat., pp. 21, 60), aged 44.

Children:

GILMAN.

3 Joseph; bap. Mar. 1, 1772 (p. 752); 394, 1st Ch., Aug. 14, 1791, dis. to ch. in Wells, July 3, 1796; "Dea. Joseph Gilman, of Wells," (p. 24, 1st Ch. Cat.)

4 Mary; bap. Mar. 20, 1774 (p. 802.)

5 Elizabeth; 585, 1st Ch., Dec. 2, 1810, dis. to ch. in Hanover, N. H., Feb. 28, 1819 (p. 56); m. Rev. Francis Brown, 5th pastor and 555th mem. 1st Ch., No. Yarmouth.

6 Tristram; bap. Feb. 27, 1780 (p. 859.)

7 Eunice; bap. Aug. 4, 1782 (p. 861.)

8 Nicholas; bap. Oct. 12, 1783 (p. 902.)

9 John; bap. Jan. 22, 1786 (p. 901.)

10 Theodosia; bap. Mar. 9, 1788 (p. 905); m., Nov. —, 1805, Dr. John Stockbridge, of Bath, Me. (p. 207.)

11 Samuel (p. 60, 1st Ch. Cat.)

Ebenezer Gilman, (445, 1st Ch., Apr. 6, 1792); d. in Wells.

GRACE.—1 James E. Grace ("died some years ago," 1806, p. 984), married, 1796,—

2 Elizabeth Mitchell (No. 35, p. 250), b. Dec. 8, 1774, d. Aug. 31, 1846; 548, 1st Ch., Oct. 9, 1808, dis to 2d Ch., Portland, Mar. 28, 1819. Res. No. Yar. 1795-6.

Children:

GRACE.

3 Frederick Augustus; bap. Oct. 26, 1806 (p. 984.)

4 Ann Maria; bap. do.

GOOCH.—Benjamin Gooch, wf. ———, had ch. Ebenezer and Molly, bap. Sept. 2, 1764 (p. 715.)

1 John Gooch (317, 1st Ch., Dec. 17, 1780), d. Feb. 10, 1840, aged 94 (p. 104), married,—

2 Abigail Baston (560, 1st Ch., Apr. 29, 1810, from ch. in Wells), d. Apr. 12, 1849, aged 94.

Children:

GOOCH.

3 Elizabeth; bap. Sept. 2, 1781 (p. 860.); 553, 1st Ch., Oct. 1, 1809; d. Jan. 3, 1850, aged 70.

4 Sarah; bap. June 6, 1782 (p. 860); 680, 1st Ch., June 3, 1821; d. Nov. 13, 1857, aged 75.

5 John; bap. Aug. 17, 1783 (p. 902); m. Esther Rowe, see under No. 13.

6 Abigail; bap. May 1, 1785 (p. 903.)

7 Almeda; bap. Sept. 30, 1787 (p. 905); 597, 1st Ch., July 21, 1811; m. James Baston; d. in Wells, June 10, 1827, aged 40.

8 Jonathan Mitchell; bap. Apr. 5, 1789 (p. 906); 640, 1st Ch., May 11, 1817; d. Apr. —, 1872.

9 Samuel; bap. Jan. 6, 1793 (p. 943.)

10 Hannah; bap. Aug. 24, 1796 (p. 946.)

11 Ruth Baston; bap. Aug. 15, 1799 (p. 930); 698, 1st Ch., Mar. 3, 1822; d. July 11, 1853, aged 54.

12 William Baston; bap. Sept. 19, 1808 (p. 934); m. Sarah Rumford Pierce, see under No. 21.

13 James; clergyman; 665, 1st Ch., Oct. 4, 1818, dis. Dec. 22, 1828, to be pastor of ch. in Hebron; wf. Abigail (or Sarah) Gilmore, 1123, 1st Ch., Apr. 28, 1877.

(5) John Gooch above, (687 1st Ch., Feb. 3, 1822), d. Sept. 30, 1851, aged 75. He married,—

14 Esther Rowe (688, 1st Ch.); d. May 15, 1840, aged 54.

Children:

GOOCH.

15 Benjamin Rowe; bap. Apr. 7, 1822 (p. 1022.)

16 John Henry; bap. July 21, 1822 (p. 1022); drowned, June 9, 1836 (pp. 104, 167.)

17 Abigail Parsons; bap. May 7, 1826 (p. 1054); 1121, 1st Ch., Jan. 29, 1854; m. Lafayette Sawyer.

18 Jonathan Mitchell; bap. Sept. 13, 1829 (p. 1055); 1082, 1st Ch.; d. May 22, 1852, aged 23 (p. 336.)

19 Prudence Esther Rowe; bap. Nov. 2, 1831 (p. 1055.)
 20 William Wilberforce; bap. June 23, 1833 (p. 1111); 1083,
 1st Ch.; d. Oct. 14, 1852, aged 19 (p. 336.)

21 Sarah Elizabeth; bap. July 24, 1836 (p. 1112.)

(12) Dr. William Baston Gooch (666, 1st Ch., Oct. 14, 1818,
 dis. to ch. in South Dennis, Mass., Nov. 4, 1844); see pp. 64,
 103, 104; married,—

22 Sarah Rumford Pierce; (804, 1st Ch., Jan. 2, 1831 (p.
 1055), dis. to ch. in South Dennis, Mass., Apr. 2, 1841.

Children: GOOCH.

23 Sarah Rumford Pierce; bap. July 15, 1827 (p. 1054.)

24 Phebe Pierce; bap. Apr. 23, 1837 (p. 1112.)

1 Nathaniel Gooch married,—

2 ———.

Children: GOOCH.

3 Sally; bap. Oct. 21, 1781 (p. 860.)

4 Nathaniel; bap. do.

5 Benjamin; bap. June 6, 1784 (p. 902.)

1 Rufus Gooch (695, 1st Ch.); pp. 13, 96), married,—

2 Dorcas Noyes (696, 1st Ch., Mar. 3, 1822, dis. to Cent. Ch.
 Mar. 30, 1859.)

Children: GOOCH.

3 Emeline March; bap. Oct. 20, 1822 (p. 1023.)

4 Joseph Alvin; bap. do.; a house-painter; res Yarmouth.

5 Margaret Noyes; bap. do.; m. Darius Pratt; had son Nor-
 man lost on steamer "Arctic", 185—.

6 Sidney Smith; bap. May 24, 1829 (p. 1105); see p. 41.

GOODING.—1 George Gooding (drowned Apr. —, 1748 (see p.
 1107), married,—

2 Mary ———. They were from Newbury, Mass.

Children: GOODING.

3 William; b. July 12, 1730; drowned, Apr. —, 1748, (see p.
 1107.)

4 Samuel; b. Oct. 3, 1739.

5 Mary; b. Sept. 23, 1741.

1 James Gooding married,—

2 ———.

Children: GOODING.

3 Susanna; bap. Oct. 9, 1737; d. May 28, 1738 (p. 1106.)

4 Samuel; bap. Dec. 23, 1739 (p. 493.)

5 Mary; bap. Nov. 29, 1741 (p. 613.)

1 William Gooding married,—

2 Susan ——— (815 1st Ch.)

Children: GOODING.

3 Mary; adult; 701 1st Ch.; bap. Mar. 3, 1822; m. Timothy

Field ; dis. to Bap. Ch. Sept. 1, 1831.

4 Susan ; adult ; 723 1st Ch., Apr. 7, 1822 (p. 1022) ; d. Jan. 12, 1853, aged 45 ; m. William Anderson ; had children bap. as follows : Charles, Jan. 2, 1831 (p. 1055), Mary, Apr. 22, 1832 (p. 1057), Sydney, June 22, 1834 (p. 1111), Sarah Kilby, May 6, 1842 (p. 1114), Mary Eliza, July 13, 1845 (p. 1114.)

William Gooding, Jr., m. Mary Cushing Prince, No. 208, p. 845, where see family in full.

Samuel Gooding, b. 1745, d. Aug. 23, 1803, m. Hannah Ring, No. 7, pp. 914, 915, where see family in full, also on p. 918 for family of his son Joseph who m. Lucy Staples.

GAMMON.—1 Samuel Gammon married,—

2 Susanna C. Lewis (613, 1st Ch., Apr. 25, 1813), d. Jan. 5, 1854, aged 64.

Children :

GAMMON.

3 Lucy ; bap. June 16, 1813 ; 1152, 1st Ch., Sept. 5, 1838.

4 John ; bap. June 16, 1813 (p. 1018.)

5 Sarah Hobart ; bap. do. ; 966, 1st Ch., Nov. 4, 1838 ; d. Jan. 17, 1874.

6 Jane ; bap. July 31, 1814 (p. 1019) ; 921, 1st Ch.

7 Lewis ; bap. Sept. 28, 1817 (p. 1020.)

8 Franklin ; bap. June 17, 1821 (p. 1022.)

9 Samuel ; bap. Oct. 20, 1825 (p. 1054.)

HITCHCOCK.—1 Dr. Gad Hitchcock, (s. of Dr. Gad Hitchcock, of Abington, Mass., and grandson of Rev. Gad Hitchcock,) was 562d mem. of 1st Ch., North Yarmouth, July 22, 1810, d. Nov. 17, 1837, aged 49 (pp. 64, 104.) He married,—

2 Mary Lincoln Thaxter (dau. of Gridley Thaxter, of Abington, and granddaughter of Gen. Benjamin Lincoln of the Revolutionary Army), 603, 1st Ch., Apr. 20, 1812 (p. 1018), d. Nov. 30, 1875.

Children :

HITCHCOCK.

3 Bela Thaxter ; bap. Jan. 8, 1812 (p. 1018) ; physician ; d. Apr. 7, 1876, at Princeton, Arkansas, (p. 207.)

4 Lavinia ; bap. Mar. 7, 1813 (p. 1018.)

4 Henry Bailey ; bap. Jan. 22, 1815 (p. 1019.)

5 Sarah Lincoln ; bap. Nov. 3, 1816 (p. 1020.)

6 William Rufus ; bap. July 4, 1819 (p. 1021.)

7 Gad ; bap. June 11, 1820 (p. 1021) ; res. Yarmouth, Me.

8 Mary Shattuck ; bap. Oct. 20, 1822 (p. 1023.)

9 Gridley ; bap. July 11, 1824 (p. 1053.)

10 Benjamin ; bap. Nov. 12, 1826 (p. 1054.)

11 Harriet Bailey ; bap. May 24, 1829 (p. 1055.)

12 Susan Harris ; bap. Oct. 27, 1833 (p. 1111.)

13 Ann Blanchard; bap. Oct. 27, 1833 (p. 1111.)

14 Samuel Sweetser; bap. July 17, 1836 (p. 1112.)

HILL.—1 Capt. James C. Hill, (son of James Hill, who came to North Yarmouth about 1817, p. 284), (see pp. 381, 382, 947, 948, 201, 246, 57, 58, 66), bur. May 13, 1864, aged 72 (p. 414), married,—

2 Mary Brainard Stockin, (sister of James Stockin, p. 947); bap. Mar. 3, 1822 (p. 1022); d. at Lowell, Mass.; bur. Dec. 16, 1853 (p. 337.)

Children:

HILL.

3 Alexander Greenwood; bap. Oct. 20, 1822 (p. 1023); bur. by Odd Fellows, May 17, 1848 (p. 302); see pp. 57, 359, 381, 382, 748, 947.

4 James Decatur; bap. do.; his ch. bur. Oct. 19, 1865, aged 5 yrs. 7 mos., brought from Arkansas (p. 415); see pp. 359, 381, 382.

5 Augustus Octavius; bap. May 2, 1824 (p. 1053); master of Casco Lodge, Yarmouth, 1850 (p. 98); see pp. 41, 723, 947; res. Deering, Me.

6 Mary Margaret; bap. Oct. 16, 1826 (p. 1054); bur. Apr. 16, 1853; m. Cyrus Foss Sargent; ch. Cyrus and Grace Greenwood, the latter d. Sept. 29, 1878 (not 1870) aged 28; see pp. 41, 173, 947.

7 Olive Ringe; bap. May 24, 1829 (p. 1055); d. Aug. 18, 1830 (p. 102.)

8 Andrew Jackson; b. Apr. 10, 1831 (bap. Oct. 2, p. 1056); res., Hot Springs, Arkansas.

HUTCHINS.—1 Joseph Hutchins (413, 1st Ch., Sept. 4, 1791, dis. to ch. in Freeport, Sept. 28, 1806.) He married,—

2 Mary ———.

Children:

HUTCHINS.

3 John bap. July 6, 1794 (p. 945.)

4 Samuel; bap. Oct. 5, 1806 (p. 984.)

5 Almira; bap. do.

Joseph Hutchins m., July 30, 1789, Rachel Rood (p. 725.)

HEWEY.—1 John Hewey, 245 1st Ch., June 15, 1766, lived in Brunswick, d. before 1793, married,—

2 Elizabeth Mann, 246 1st Ch.

Children:

HEWEY.

3 Joseph; bap. June 19, 1774 (p. 803.)

4 Elizabeth; bap. Sept. 29, 1776 (p. 805.)

Jeanette Hewey, of Brunswick or Topsham, bap. Aug. 10, 1746 (p. 615.)

HUNT.—1 John Hunt (New Casco, 1751), married,—
2 _____.

Children : HUNT.

3 John ; bap. Sept. 25, 1743 (p. 614.)

4 Hannah ; ; bap. Dec. 15, 1751 (p. 618.)

Martha Hunt (No. 21, p. 1096), 62 1st Ch., Aug. 21, 1737,
d. Jan. 31, 1759 (p. 1109), m. Joseph Chandler.

HALL.—Isaac Hall, wf. Abigail, had John, b. Aug. 29, 1735,
and Joseph Gardner, b. May 30, 1739. Edward Hall, wf. Sarah,
had Sarah, b. Sept. 15, 1739.

HULET.— Jonathan Hulet married,—

2 Lydia _____.

Children : HULET.

3 Mary ; b. June 2, 1744 ; bap. Apr. 14, 1765, an adult, (p.
716.) Name also given as Hewlitt and Heulitt.

4 Abigail ; b. Sept. 7, 1746 ; bap. Apr. 20, 1755, for Samuel
Fisher, Jr. (p. 664.)

HOUGHTON.—Richard Houghton, wf. Elizabeth, had Anna, b.
Apr. 29, 1735.

HOWLAND.—1 Joseph Howland (144, 1st Ch., Dec. 7, 1746),
married, Oct. 26, 1743 (p. 658),—

2 Elizabeth Mitchell, No. 19, p. 248.

Children : HOWLAND.

3 Grace ; bap. May 10, 1747 (p. 616.)

4 Susanna ; b. Apr. 1, 1745, at Dartmouth ; bap. May 10,
1747 (p. 616.)

5 Isaac ; b. Mar. 27, 1747 ; d. Oct. 25, 1748 (p. 1107.)

9 Jeremiah ; b. July 26, 1749 (bap. Aug. 20, p. 617.)

7 Elizabeth ; b. May 10, 1752 (bap. June 14, p. 662.)

8 Sarah ; bap. June 9, 1754 (p. 663.)

Mary Howland married, 1721, Dea. Jacob Mitchell (p. 249.)

HOOPER.—1 William Hooper int. m. June 9, 1753, with,—

2 Mary Poland (p. 653.) He m., Dec. 31, 1756, (p. 659),—

3 Mary Larrabee.

Children : HOOPER.

4 John ; bap. Mar. 13, 1757 (p. 665.)

5 Mary ; bap. May 11, 1760 (p. 667.)

1 William Hooper, d. in army Dec. 6, 1758 (p. 1109), had wf.

2 Elizabeth (bap. Sept. 3, 1758, p. 666.)

Children : HOOPER.

3 Rachel ; b. Apr. 4, 1739 ; bap. May 14, 1758 (p. 666.)

4 John ; bap. June 28, 1752 (p. 662.)

1 Edward Hooper married,—

2 Mary ———.

Children: HOOPER.

3 Hannah; bap. Sept. 20, 1778 (p. 858.)

4 Lydia; bap. do.

JEPSON.—1 Thomas Jepson (p. 969) married,—

2 Sarah Pettingill, (430, 1st Ch., Oct. 16, 1791, d. May 15, 1795 (pp. 945, 969.)

Children: JEPSON.

3 Bradbury True; bap. Dec. 25, 1791 (p. 492.)

4 Abigail; bap. do.

5 Mary; bap. do.

6 William; bap. do.

7 Ebenezer; bap. Mar. 31, 1793 (p. 943.)

8 Phebe; bap. at Lewiston, Oct. 1, 1795, the mother deceased (p. 945.)

(To be continued.)

NORTH YARMOUTH ACADEMY,

1831-1833.

[BY DR. N. T. TRUE.]

It was half a century ago that I first attended the Academy. A raw country lad, dressed in homespun, with tanned face, but burning inside with a strong desire to learn something more than I could find in the common school, I took my seat on Monday morning with about forty others, for this purpose. I was an entire stranger in the school. The Preceptor was Joseph Sherman, a man of whom I never speak but with the greatest respect,

I commenced the study of Gould's Latin Grammar with ——— Thompson, of Pownal, much older than myself, a brother of the late Dr. Greenfield P. Thompson, but now dead; Nathaniel Butler, since a prominent clergyman, but then a little boy, and Samuel W. Blanchard, who afterwards became a physician and apothecary in Yarmouth, and now dead. It was but a short time before I passed through the grammar and commenced reading Cubi's Latin Reader, a hard book, but which I read through during the term, a feat which it is doubtful if any other person ever

accomplished in that school. I soon left my classmates behind, and recited alone. I sat up one night in a week through the term without retiring, and studied every night till midnight. I averaged more than eighteen hours a day in getting my two Latin lessons each day for recitation.

But who were the pupils? I can remember some of them. There was Edward Mitchell, who graduated at Bowdoin. There was Samuel W. Field, now a clergyman residing in Providence, R. I. There was Bohan P. Byram, who has been a worthy Baptist clergyman in Massachusetts and Rhode Island; Edwin R. Warren [see p. 1007], still a clergyman; John C. Stockbridge, a clergyman and teacher; Asa Hutchins. of Pownal, a physician, now dead; Sylvanus Blanchard, who sat by my side and studied navigation, and who was a continual wonder to me how he or any one else could ever learn enough about it to navigate a vessel across the Atlantic. There was Capt. Elbridge York, of Pownal, a good mathematician; John Butler, a physician, now dead; Edward Russell, a son of Gen. Edward Russell, now in Boston, Cyrus F. Sargent and his brother, now dead, and a generous sprinkling of other Russells, Princes and Drinkwaters.

There was Margaret Russell, a daughter of Gen. Edward Russell, a queenly-looking young lady, and scholarly. There was a sister of Philip Eastman, the lawyer, who seemed to my partial eyes the nearest to an angel of any one I had ever seen. There was Frances DeCarteret, now wife of Benjamin True, Esq., of Pownal; and Harriet Bailey [see p. 1006], mother of Mr. Pullen editor of the "Maine Press." Then there were three or four daughters of Rev. John Butler, well-educated and ambitious; two girls and a boy by the name of Hawes; and Olive Stockbridge, a daughter of William R. Stockbridge.

In those days a school of forty-five pupils was considered large. Those fitting for college studied nothing but the classics. A large square blackboard hung near the teacher's desk. There was the remains of an old library, the donation of old Parson Gilman, but it was allowed to go to waste. Among the books was Beza's Latin Bible, and several theological works written in Latin and covered with parchment. The only readable book was a history of modern Greece, which had just been wrenched from Turkey.

It was a pleasant school. Its moral and religious tone was high, and nothing seemed to interrupt our progress. The studies were few, and no assistant was required. I was timid, and, strange as it may now seem, I did not dare to speak to a female pupil during the term. I remember acquiring quite a reputation one day, among the younger boys, for knocking a ball into the air twice in succession far above the spire of the church, and much farther than I had ever done before, but I was wise enough not to repeat the experiment as it might injure my well-earned laurels.

There were some gymnastic apparatus in the rear of the Academy, introduced, I think, through the influence of John Neal, Esq., of Portland, who was the first to introduce gymnastic training into this country.

The Erosophian Society was a flourishing debating club where I gave my first declamation. Nobody can describe the horrible agony of being on the rack, or being slowly tortured by fire. Every fibre in my body was a bursting stream of lightning as I appeared on the stage before those who knew so much more than myself. This society had a rebellion, and many members left it, and to my surprise I was made President of the old organization.

I entered Bowdoin College in September, 1833, in company with George Woods, John C. Stockbridge and Edward Mitchell. Franklin Shaw and Samuel W. Field entered Waterville College. I however continued my studies at the Academy under Rev. Saml. H. Shepley during the fall and spring terms, and did not enter the college classes till the last term of my Freshman year.

Among those who took a special interest in the Academy were Rev. Asa Cummings, its President, and Philip Eastman, both scholarly men. There was not so much nice analytical drill at that time, but there was much more individual effort. The helps were few, but we were supposed to dig out everything required from the text and from our grammars. This habit was invigorating to our mental powers. This Academy was of the highest value to that community at that time, and took high rank among the numerous institutions of the kind existing in the State.

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YARMOUTH CORNER, 1850.

(Continued from page 952.)

GOOCH'S LANE, RIGHT SIDE.

Turning from Main Street down Gooch's Lane, the first building on the right was Foster's pottery, owned by Nathaniel Foster and his sons Benjamin and William Henry. The buildings, clay-mill, kiln, and storehouse extended down the lane some six rods or more.

Next below the pottery was a cottage occupied by Rotheus Thoits, wheelwright and carpenter. He had quite a family of

children, among them a girl named Luella. This house was afterwards occupied by one of the firm of Richards Bros. (David O. and Thomas), and still later by Ansel L. Loring, and again by Samuel W. Fogg.

Next was a two-story house occupied by a widow by the name of Lowe.

Next was the house of Andrew Haven, a blacksmith, who was buried Aug. 13, 1864, aged 61 (p. 415.) He had a son, George Sherburne, born about 1837, now living at Black Point, Marin County, California, and a daughter, Lucy Ellen, about five or six years older, who married Ansel L. Loring. There was also a young man, Joseph Prince [No. 261, p. 844], a son of Mrs. Haven by her former husband, Leach D. Prince [No. 176, p. 764.] Mrs. Haven, whose maiden name was Lucy Tuttle, died Apr. 5, 1851, aged 48 (p. 335.) Mr. Haven's blacksmith-shop stood just below his house.

Next, but some distance below, was the cottage of Thomas Pratt, who died Feb. 2, 1877, aged 67, a farmer and sawmill operator. He had sons Freeman (see p. 156) and Edwin, and daughters Phebe and Ella.

Next was the cottage of Nathaniel G. Marston, tanner and currier. This house was formerly owned and occupied by John Pierce. Mr. Marston's tannery was across the red bridge; on the cross-road leading around to Jeremiah Baker's gristmill. Mr. Marston was a prominent deacon in the Baptist church. His wife was Martha Ann Drinkwater (No. 110, p. 392) and they had five children,—Harriet B., Emeline Smith, Clarence Lovejoy and Maria Adelaide (the latter died Sept. 27, 1868, aged 20, p. 417.) They also had children buried Nov. 3, 1838, Mar. 7, 1841 and May 9, 1842 (pp. 168, 213, 214.)

Just below Mr. Marston's house the Atlantic & St. Lawrence Railroad crossed the road and passed over Royall's River on a covered bridge on the northerly side of the thoroughfare.

About ten rods below Mr. Marston's house was the site of the old iron refinery and forge established in 1756 by John Powell. The works stood on the south side of the road, and very near it, and about half way from the railroad to Gooch's sawmill. Many pieces of coke and slag still mark its location. Capt. James C. Hill owned the site about 1850, and proposed to erect some kind of a manufactory there, but, after some preparatory work on the ground, the plan was for some reason abandoned.

A few rods below the site of the iron refinery stood the sawmill of Benjamin Gooch, the carding-mill and fulling-mill of Capt. Jas. C. Hill and his brother-in law, James Stocking, and several other small shops for various kinds of work requiring water-power from the mill-dam across the river at this point. A saw-mill located here was carried away by a freshet, Mar. 31, 1831 (p. 102.)

Across the river, at the other end of the dam, and on a road leading around to Baker's mill, stood the tannery of Nathaniel G. Marston, and also a grist-mill run by Elisha Noyes.

The "red bridge" crossed the river just above Gooch's mill, and the street was from here known as the "North Road." The predecessor of the "red bridge" was swept away May 2, 1843 (p. 104.) The river was not bridged at this point until some time after 1753, at which date the first saw-mill was erected here.

GOOCH'S LANE, LEFT SIDE.

First on the left, at the corner of Main Street, was the cottage of Benjamin Gooch, already described on page 946.

Next below was an old two-story house occupied by Widow ——— Tuttle, a tailorress. A widowed daughter, Mrs. Fowler, who was occasionally insane, lived with her. Mrs. Fowler was drowned in the river, and was buried June 5, 1853 (p. 337.) Jacob Favor, who died in 1861, aged 77 (p. 370), also lived in this house.

Just below was the cottage of Nathaniel Gooch, who died in 1875, a son of Benjamin above, a millman and farmer and later a merchant. His wife was Catherine Thomas, sister of Captains William and Samuel Thomas.

Next was the cottage of Joel Brooks, a potter. His wife was Susan Soule, (659, 1st Ch. Cat.) who died Apr. 20, 1874. His pottery stood just back of his house, and was operated by himself and his eldest son, John Edward. His other son, George W., learned blacksmithing from Henry Caswell, and afterwards went to California. He also had daughters, Sally Smith (buried Dec. 12, 1848, aged 25, p. 303), Eliza Corliss (died 1875, aged 51), Abigail Soule, Saba Smith (died young) and Mary Foster. The latter married David Pratt, of the "North Road," a conductor on the Grand Trunk Railroad. (See baptisms, Oct. 21, 1832, page 1057.)

Next was the cottage of Rufus Gooch, a farmer (buried Aug. 28, 1862, aged 74 years and 2 mos., page 371.) For family see page 1124.

Next was a house, once owned by Ammi M. Humphrey, where resided Mrs. Elizabeth (Lufkin) Humphrey, widow of John H. Humphrey (109, p. 838.) She had two sons, George Wilson and John Howard (278, 279, p. 892.) The first, a stockman, lives in Sierra Valley, Sierra County, California, and John H., a ship-master, resides in Yarmouth. Jacob B. Lufkin (38, p. 1078) at one time lived in this house.

Next was the house of Edmund C. Lane (180, p. 887) tanner and currier. The tannery was in the field, back of the house. His children are given in full on pages 887 and 888. This house is now occupied by Charles Austin Gooch, son of Benjamin.

Next, and just west of the railroad, stood the large two-story yellow house of James Hill (buried Apr. 10, 1850, aged 84, p. 335), father of Capt. James C. Hill. Part of this house was occupied by Capt. Levi Webster, his wife, and sons Henry Clay and Chauncey B. Webster (p. 205.) Walter Libby now resides in it.

From the railroad to the red bridge there were no buildings, and this point on the river was the favorite swimming-place of the village boys. It was also much used in winter for skating.

Just across the red bridge stood the dark, ill-kept end slovenly farm-house of John Gooch, who was known as "Mitchell Gooch." He had sons Jonathan and Isaac A. (p. 138.)

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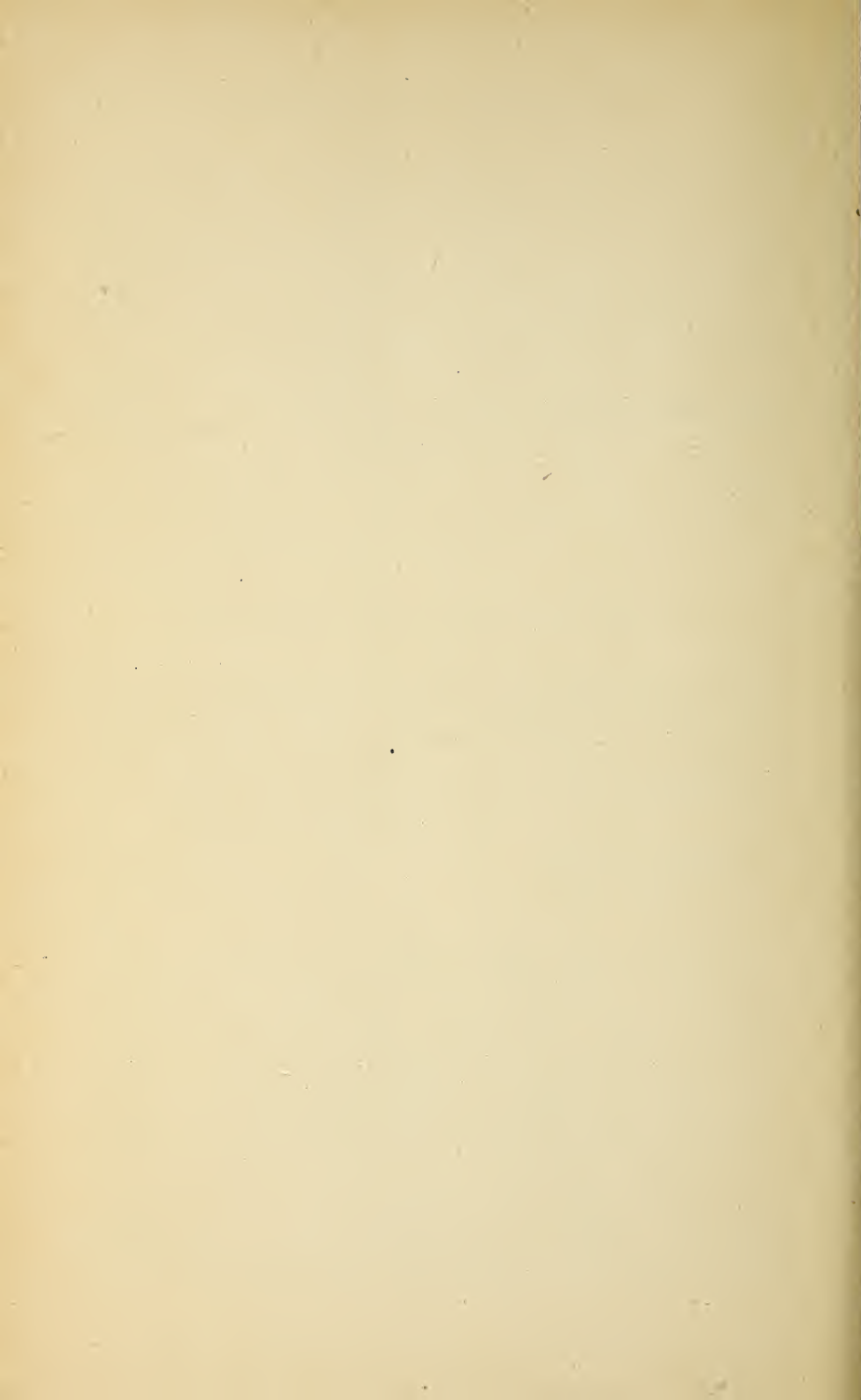
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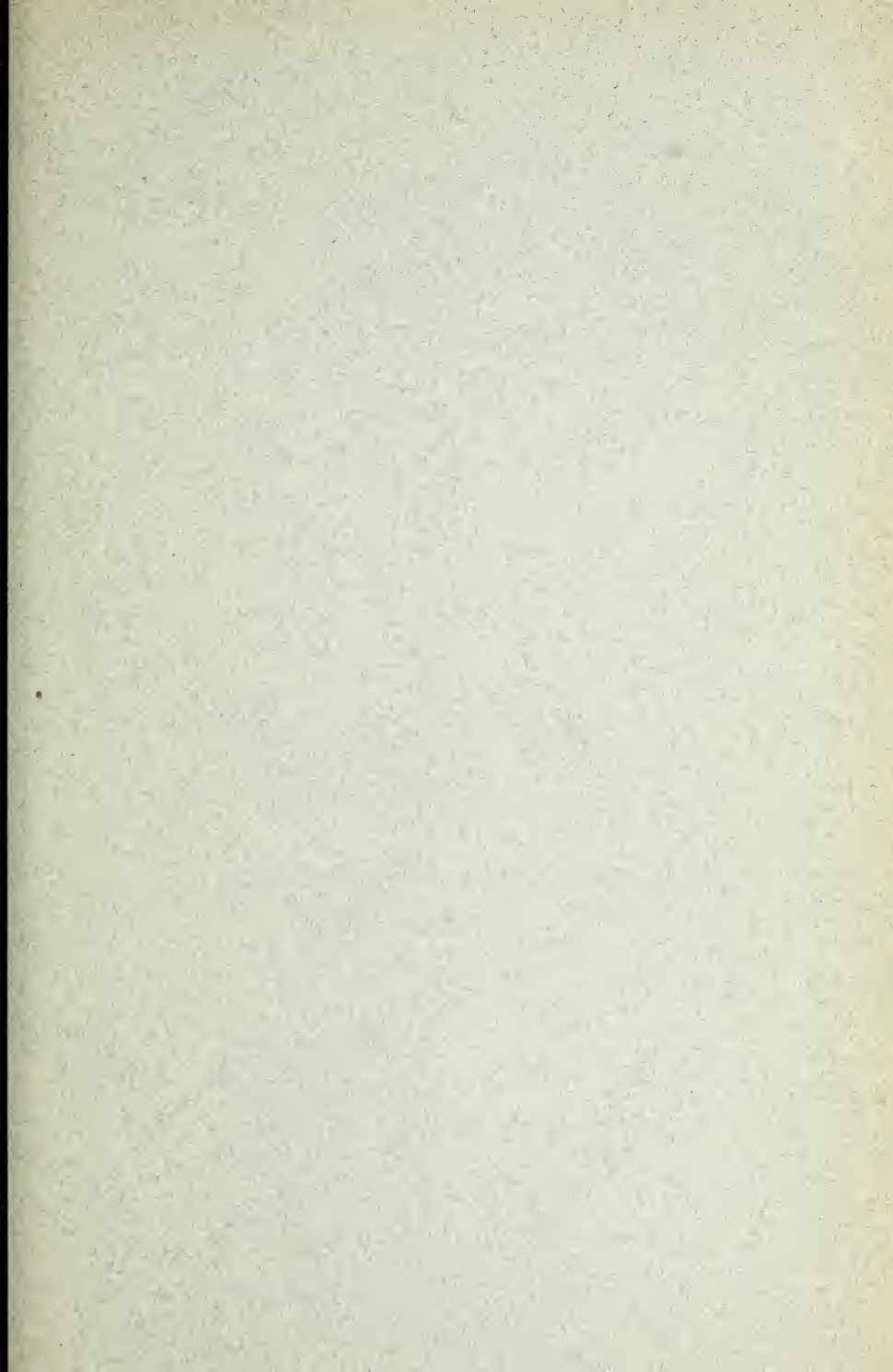
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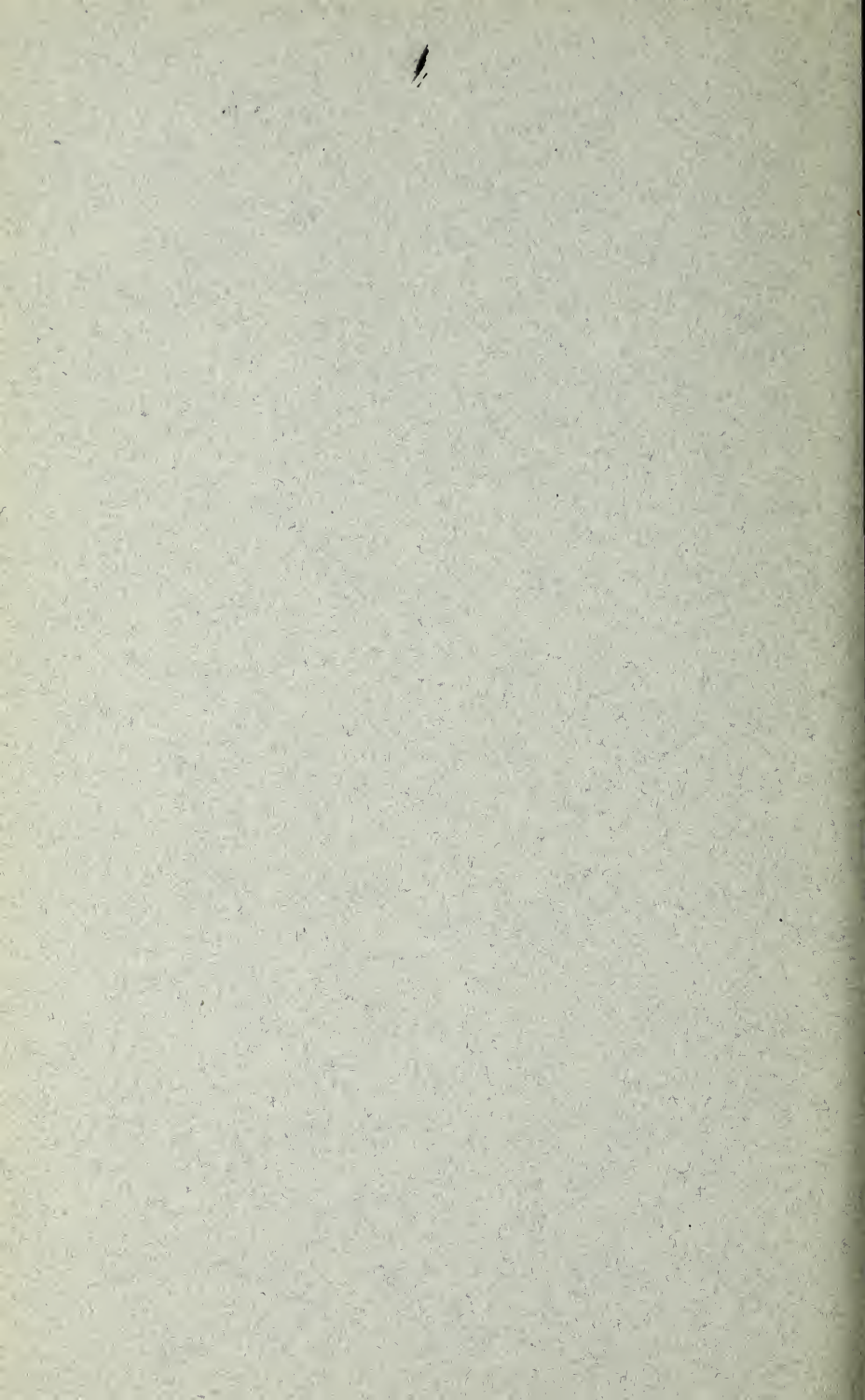
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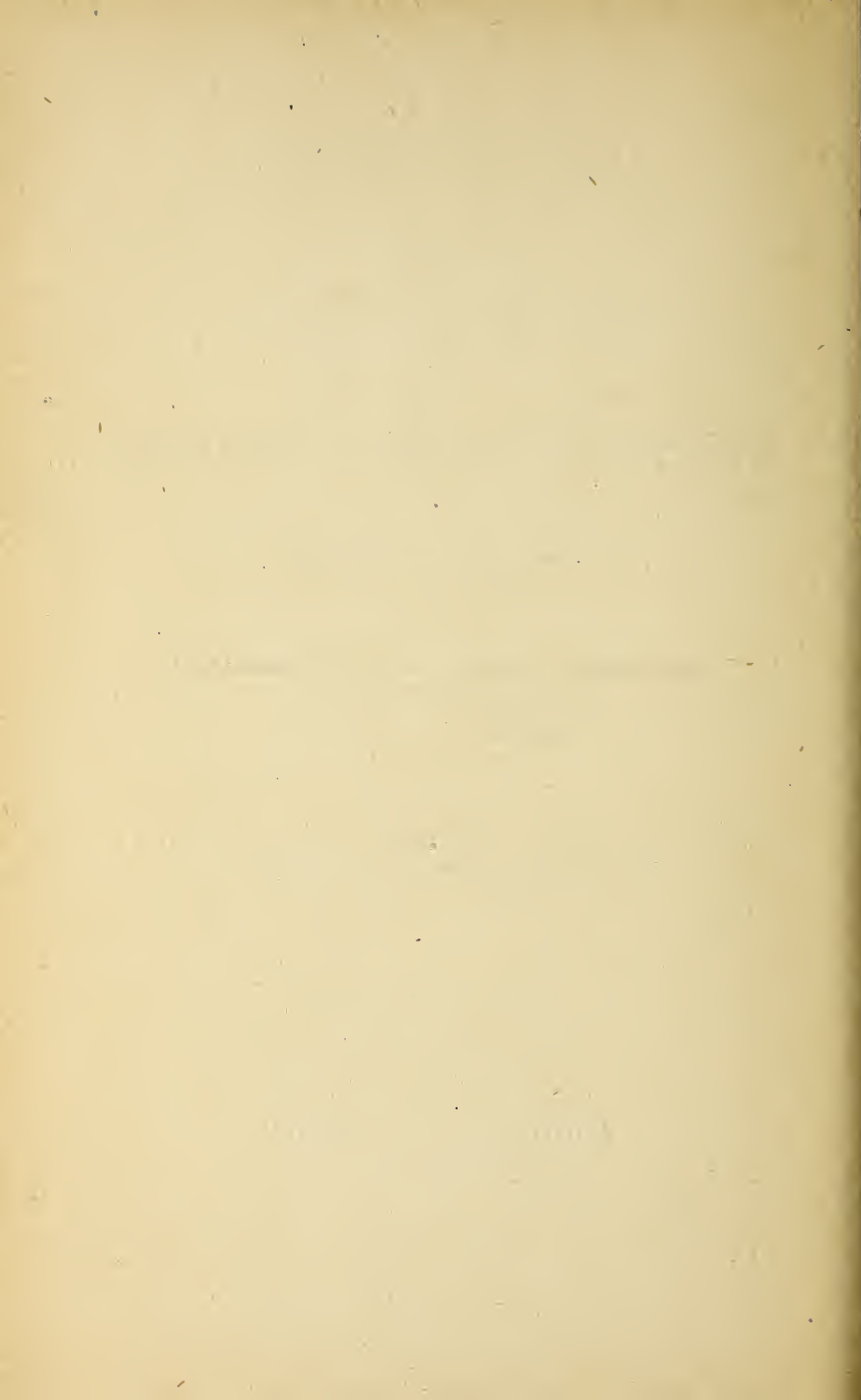
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SKETCH OF THE PIONEERS

OF THE

MERRILL ROAD, POWNAL, MAINE.

[BY DR. N. T. TRUE.]

Timothy Pratt, born in Freeport, cleared a farm on the Merrill Road, bordering on the Freeport line. He built the house now occupied by Benjamin Porter. Pratt married — Winslow; their children were Arthur, David and Annis. The family moved to Jay about 1818. Philemon Page, who came from Vermont, bought this place, and married Prudence Grant, of Freeport. He moved to Bangor about 1822, where he died. Their children were Lucy, Harriet, Dorcas, Philip, Edward and Jonas.

William Merrill settled near his older brother, Josiah (see page 589), about 1805. He married Miss Hannah Gould, and had children as follows: Sophronia, m. Isaac Pollard, res. Pownal; Rhoda, m. Moses Noyes, res. Freeport, both dead; Twins, died infants; Josiah, m. Betsey True, res. Freeport; Jacob, b. Apr. 10, 1811, m. Emily Allen, res. Cumberland; William, d. unm.; Hannah, m. Charles Upham, res. Vermont; Otis C., m. Charity Ann Stover, of Freeport, res. Boston; John G., m. Sophia Blackstone, res. Pownal. Mr. Merrill and wife spent their days on the farm, where they died at an advanced age.

Richard Fitts, of Freeport, followed the sea when a young man, and about 1812 bought a piece of land of one hundred acres on

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the east side of the road, opposite Josiah Merrill's lot. A sand dune ran across the whole length of the lot. He cleared this first and raised a few crops of rye, but it soon became worthless for cultivation, on account of his lack of energy. He never married, but lived with his sister Polly in a house which he built, where they both died, his death occurring in 1847. He was a brother of Samuel Fitts, of Freeport.

John True (see page 557), the second son of Jonathan True, bought a lot of fifty acres on the east side of his father's farm, belonging to the Powell lands, so called. For this he paid \$100, the result of his labor as a hired man for four years with General Edward Russell. His lot seemed more like a swamp to the older settlers, who had selected the higher gravel ridges in the town. There was a heavy mixed growth of soft and hard wood which required much hard labor to clear. His lot was adjacent to that of Josiah Merrill. He commenced clearing on the extreme east corner and extended it along the road to the spot where he built his house. His purchase and first clearing were in 1810. He built his house in 1811 and was married to Miss Mary Hatch, daughter of Abijah Hatch of Yarmouth Falls. They lived nearly a year in Mr. Merrill's house, but during the autumn of 1811 moved into their new house, where the writer was born Mar. 15, 1812. He afterwards built a barn, and continued to clear his farm, which proved to be a productive one. About 1820 he bought fifty acres on the opposite side of the road, and later he purchased of the Merrill heirs fifty acres on the northwest side of his original lot, so that he had one hundred and fifty acres of land nearly all of which was arable and productive. He was a very industrious, prudent and progressive man, and became independent as a farmer. Here he reared his family of seven children to habits of industry, and, finally, at the age of seventy-five years, he died, and was buried in the cemetery, on his own farm, which he had given to the public.

James True (No. 36, page 29), brother of John, commenced a clearing and built a house on the lot now occupied by Elbridge True. This was about 1814-15. He remained but a short time, and in 1819 he moved to Freeman where he spent the most of his days. He died in New Vineyard at an advanced age. His wife was Abigail Carver, of Freeport.

Russell Brown married a daughter of Thomas Haskell, and settled on the place now owned by William F. York. He reared quite a family, and moved to Hartford, Me., where he died.

Samuel Grant, of Freeport, first settled on the Merrill Road about 1814-15. He cleared land and built a small house on the lot afterwards known as the John Newbegin farm. The house was afterwards removed by Russell Brown, and forms the ell of the house now owned and occupied by William F. York. Mr.

Grant afterwards built a house on the lot opposite that of Timothy Pratt. This was a border lot between Pownal and Freeport. His children were Hannah, Eliza, Rev. David, Almira, Sarah and a son whose name I have forgotten. Mr. Grant removed in 1822 to Franklin County, where he died.

Thomas Nason, about 1812. built a house and barn on the east corner of the lot owned by John Lawrence. It was never finished, and was subsequently torn down. Nason removed to Freeport, where he died.

George Winslow, ship-carpenter, married ——— Wilson. He cleared and occupied the farm now owned by Charles Henry Merrill. Their children were, Levi, went to sea and was never heard from; George, m. a Winslow; Samuel, m. a Tuttle; Phebe, unm.; Reuben, unm. Mr. Winslow moved to Freeport about 1823, and subsequently to Yarmouth, where he died.

John York cleared a farm north of George Winslow's. He had several children. About 1820 he removed to Harmony, where he died. Daniel Soule bought his house and moved it farther north. Soule married a Whitney and had several children. The place is now vacant.

In 1820 the inhabitants on the Merrill Road decided to be organized into a school-district. They purchased the dwelling-house of Enoch Harvey, situated at the head of the road, and a school was taught there during the summer and fall, and late in the fall the building was moved to the east corner of the lot of John Newbegin. In a few years a brick house was built, and subsequently the present house was erected on the farm of John True.

In 1822 occurred the famous grasshopper plague. Nothing like it has ever been known here since. They made their appearance in countless numbers in early haying-time. The leaves of the grass were trimmed by them. So ravenous were they that a smooth ash rake or pitchfork-handle, left for them to roost on, would be made rough by their efforts to gnaw the wood. The pathways were black with their excrement. The heads of wheat and rye were cut off by them and the corn crop nearly destroyed. One woman had a splendid crop of onions which she attempted to protect by covering them up with chaff; but the ravenous insects would eat down the tops and then eat out the bottoms, leaving nothing but the dry outside husk. As the season advanced into August they would rise to a great height and fly before the wind into the ocean. On looking into the air near the sun they could be seen at a great height in countless numbers, resembling thistle blows. As the evenings grew cooler they would gather on stumps and log fences and clean off all the decayed wood and moss, leaving them white and ghastly. They entered dwellings and found their way everywhere. In passing along the highway they would

rise like a cloud before you. Everything they could eat was destroyed, except the apple-trees, which they were not inclined to eat, and the pea-vines, which they utterly refused.

In 1823 the farmers had generally cleared their fields and felled the trees in their pastures, and built log fences. The rear of their lots was reserved for wood. The dead wood was now very dry. On the 4th of September of that year, a fire broke out in the northwest part of the neighborhood, accompanied by a strong wind. In two hours it raked the whole surrounding section, burning nearly all the fences, old stumps and logs, and every wood-lot for a mile and a half. John True lost that season six hundred rods of fence. There was a great scarcity of water and but little help, yet, strange to say, not a building caught fire. John True's buildings consisted of a house, an ell forty-five feet long and a barn sixty feet long, stretched broadside to a heavy log fence, thirty yards to windward, which was all in flames. No effort was made save to remove the family and furniture, yet the building did not catch fire. A spark caught in the dry manure in the yard near the corner of the barn, burned over a surface of two or three square yards and went out. Even the old school-house escaped, though surrounded by flames. So affected was Mr. True when evening came on, that he knelt on the ground amid the blinding smoke and glare of flames and poured forth a prayer of gratitude to God for a deliverance which seemed to him no other than a special providence.

Great as this calamity seemed to be, the farmers cleared their burnt lands, raised bountiful crops in subsequent years, and what had seemed a misfortune proved a blessing. From that day to the present, the people have been industrious, economical, thrifty, intelligent and virtuous. (†8. 81 §)

THE SWEETSER FAMILY.

The following additions to the Sweetser Genealogy given on pages 1092-1095 have been furnished by Frederick O. Conant, of Portland, Maine, Charles K. Wells, of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and others.

1 Seth Sweetser, born 1606, came from Tring, County of Hertford, England, in 1637, and settled at Charlestown, Mass., where he was admitted to the church Jan. 8, 1636-7, O. S. He was admitted a freeman Dec. 14, 1638. He was a Baptist, and

was probably a brother-in-law of Thomas Goold who was founder of the First Baptist Church of Charlestown, now the First Baptist Church of Boston. This church was gathered at Charlestown in May, 1665.

He was married first to,—

3 Bethia ———; who was admitted to the Charlestown church Sept. 9, 1639, and was probably the mother of most of his children. Seth Sweetser died between May 24th and 28th, 1662, aged 56. The date of his death is incorrectly given as May 21, 1662. He married, second, Apr. 5, 1661,—

3 Elizabeth Oakes. His will is dated May 24, 1662, and proved June 17, 1662. He gave to his son Benjamin his full portion on the Charlestown side, already in his possession; his wife to have all her own estate and one third of his, and if she prove with child it was to have £20 out of her third after her death; his daughter Sarah to have one-third of the estate now in her possession and two-thirds of what remained at his wife's death.

In case his wife had no child, Sarah was to have the third that was his wife's; of the other two-thirds, he gave his son Samuel Blancher [Blanchard] 10s besides what he had before; to his daughter Mary Blancher, £20; to his daughter Hannah Fitch, £20; to his wife's three children. 40s. 20s to the son and 10s to each daughter. Edward Drinker and his (Seth's) son Benjamin to be Executors, and "my honorable friend Richard Bussell and brother Thomas Goold" to be overseers. Inventory taken May 28, 1662. Total, £270, 10.

Children;

SWEETSER.

(8) 4 Benjamin.

5 Sarah.

6 Mary; m. Samuel Blanchard.

7 Hannah; bap. 1638; m. ——— Fitch.

8 Elizabeth; bap. Jan. 27, 1643.

(4) Benjamin Sweetser, a last-maker, of Charlestown, m.—

9 Abigail Wigglesworth, daughter of Edward who died at New Haven Oct. 1653. She was also a sister of Rev. Michael Wigglesworth, of Malden. She married, second, Rev. Ellis Chandler. Benjamin also was a Baptist, and was fined £50 and imprisoned for his opinions. His will was dated May 5, 1716, and proved Aug. 12, 1718; so he must have died between those dates.

Children:

SWEETSER.

10 Abigail; m. Andrew Simpson.

11 Bethia; b. Oct. 30, 1663; m., 1st, Edward Paine; m., 2d, Joseph Wheeler.

(16) 12 Benjamin; b. Apr. 24, 1666; d. Sept. 23, 1720.

13 Seth; b. July 7, 1668; m. Sarah Clark, 1691.

- 14 Joseph; b. Jan. 14, 1670.
- (27) 15 Samuel; b. Aug. 3, 1673; d. July 18, 1757.
- 16 Wigglesworth; b. May 28, 1677.
- (12) Benjamin Sweetser, of Malden and Charlestown, mar.—
- 17 Elizabeth Phillips, b. Aug. 9, 1672, daughter of Henry and Alice (Hunting) Phillips. He died intestate, Sept. 23, 1720, and his widow, with Benjamin Sweetser, bricklayer, and John Tufts, husbandman, of Charlestown. gave bonds, Nov. 20, 1720, for settlement of his estate. Inventory taken Dec. 19, 1720.
- Children: SWEETSER.
- 18 Elizabeth; b. Jan. 24, 1694; m. William Fairfield.
- (52) 19 Benjamin; b. Mar. 5, 1696.
- 20 William; b. Oct. 19, 1697; m. Catherine Cooper.
- 21 Henry; b. 1699; d. an infant.
- (37) 22 John; b. July 21, 1700.
- 23 Jonathan.
- 24 Phillips; b. 1705; m. Mary Green, Dec. 30, 1725; had son Henry, b. Mar. 25, 1739.
- 25 Mary,
- 26 Henry.
- 27 Mehitable; m. Isaac Wheeler, Apr. 17, 1729.
- (15) Samuel Sweetser, of Malden, married;—
- 28 Elizabeth Sprague; d. Mar. 12, 1752.
- Children: SWEETSER.
- 29 Elizabeth; m. Samuel Tufts.
- 30 Abigail; b. 1699.
- 31 Samuel; b. Apr. 3, 1701; m. Mary Burditt, July 8, 1736; had Mary, b. Feb. 26, 1738.
- 32 John; b. Feb. 12, 1703; of Boston.
- (58) 33 Jacob; b. Apr. 5, 1705.
- 34 Mehitable (also given as Michael.) As Michael, b. May 19, 1707, m. Mary Smith, Nov. 18, 1731, the record of the name of Mehitable is doubtless an error.
- 35 Joseph.
- 36 Stephen; m. Elizabeth Mudge, Feb. 8, 1738.
- 37 Mary.
- (22) John Sweetser (No. 1, p. 1092), moved from Malden, Mass., to North Yarmouth, Maine, accompanied by his brother Benjamin. He married, Oct. 2, 1722,—
- 38 Martha Green; daughter of Samuel and Martha Green; b. Jan. 15, 1704; d. May 15, 1736. He lived in what is now Cumberland, near Poland's Corner. He married, 2d, Nov. 16, 1738,—
- 39 Elizabeth Stevens, of Malden.

Children :

SWEETSER.

40 John ; b. Jan. 15, 1723 ; (Nos. 40-44, bap. at North Yarmouth, May 20, 1733. see p. 491) ; m. Hannah Pomeroy ; had beside children given on p. 1093, Jonathan, who died Sept. 18, 1757 (p. 1108.)

41 Martha ; b. Nov. 12, 1724.

42 Jonathan ; b. Aug. 9, 1727.

43 Benjamin ; b. Jan. 21, 1730 ; m. Hannah Drew.

44 Elizabeth.

45 Mehitable ; bap. Sept. 2, 1739 (p. 493) ; m. Nathan Oakes (No. 37, p. 638) ; she d. Feb. 1, 1798.

46 Seth ; bap. Dec. 17, 1740 (p. 493) ; m. Priscilla Thompson (see p. 1093.)

47 Judith ; bap. Mar. 13, 1743 (p. 614.)

48 Salathiel ; m. Rachel Prince (see p. 1094.)

48½ Joseph ; d. Apr. 17, 1747 (p. 1107.)

(64) 49 Richard ; b. Nov. 17, 1749 ; d. Jan. 12, 1844.

50 Mary ; b. July —, 1751 ; d. Jan. 2, 1839 ; m. Eleazer Ring (see No. 8, p. 914.)

51 William ; b. Apr. —, 1755 ; m. Alice Prince (see page 1094, also pp. 729, 763.)

52 Rachel ; b. Nov. 9, 1758 ; d. Sept. —, 1843 ; m. Capt. Sylvanus Drinkwater (see No. 47, p. 389.)

(Nos. 40 to 52 are Nos. 4 to 17 page 1093.)

(19) Benjamin Sweetser, of Malden, Mass., and North Yarmouth, Maine, bricklayer, married,—

53 Constance Rowe.

Children :

SWEETSER.

54 Elizabeth ; b. Oct. 19, 1727.

55 Benjamin ; b. Jan. 27, 1730.

56 Henry ; b. Apr. 12, 1732.

57 Sarah ; b. Aug. 13, 1733.

58 Wigglesworth ; b. Dec. 21, 1734.

(33) Jacob Sweetser, of Malden, married,—

59 Elizabeth ———.

Children :

SWEETSER.

60 Jacob ; b. May 3, 1736.

61 Benjamin ; b. Feb. 19, 1738.

62 Sarah ; b. July 24, 1740.

63 Mary ; b. May 3, 1743.

64 Ann ; b. June 22, 1747.

(49) Richard Sweetser (No. 17, p. 1095), a farmer, North Yarmouth and Gray, Maine, married, Sept. 24, 1778,—

65 Sarah Mathews, of North Yarmouth ; b. Aug. —, 1749 ;

d. Aug. 25, 1819. Her family came from Framingham, Mass., to North Yarmouth. He married. 2d.—

65 Mrs. Mary Kinney; d. Oct. 13, 1848.

Children: SWEETSER.

66 Susanna; b. Mar. 5, 1780 (bap. May 14, p. 859); d. July 28, 1820; m., Nov. 16, 1797, Daniel Wells, b. Jan. 19, 1774; had eleven children, one, Charles K., b. Dec. 22, 1817, is a member of the firm of Wells, Brigham & Upham, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. For her family in full see pages 26-31, "Genealogy of the Wells Family of Wells, Maine." 1874.

67 Richard; b. Oct. 3, 1782; bap. July 26, 1783 (p. 901); d. Oct. 29, 1829; married, and had Lysander, William, Sylvania, Albion and George.

68 Sally; b. Dec. 11, 1784; d. Apr. 12, 1807.

69 Hannah; b. July 19, 1786; d. Aug. 23, 1813; m. David Low.

70 Judith; b. Sept. 16, 1788; d. Oct. 1, 1816.

71 Abigail; b. Sept. 18, 1790; d. Sept. 19, 1848; m. Abel Getchell.

72 William; b. Apr. 10, 1794; d. Oct. 11, 1820.

73 Mary; m., Dec. 21, 1821, Moses Emerson.

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THE DRINKWATER FAMILY.

Most of the following additional notes to the Drinkwater Family as given on pages 123-128, 386-393, 397-403, have been furnished by Frederick Odell Conant, Portland, Maine.

The records of Plymouth, Mass., give the following relative to the Drinkwaters. The index to the second series of grantors, beginning 1680, mentions Thomas, Walter, William, Warren, John, Elizabeth, Joseph, Samuel and Patience Drinkwater. In the division of lands, mention is made of a place called "Drinkwater;" also a sawmill, brook and pond each called Drinkwater's. The earliest date found was Nov. 29, 1697. Sept. 10, 1711, Thomas Drinkwater and wife Elizabeth, of Taunton, County of Bristol, convey to John Hascoll, of Middleboro, County of Plymouth, all right and title which said Elizabeth, as daughter of John Hascoll, of Middleboro, deceased, might claim out of his estate.

Vol. 26, page 13, by a deed dated Nov. 11th, 173—, Joseph Drinkwater, of North Yarmouth, County of York, husbandman, for £8,10 paid by Samuel Edly, Jr., of Middleboro. County of Plymouth. sells one-ninth part of fifty acres of land which his "honored father, Thomas Drinkwater, deceased, bought of John Hascoll by deed recorded Sept. 8, 1711."

1 Thomas Drinkwater, of Taunton, Bristol County, Mass., married,—

2 Elizabeth Hascoll [Haskell], born July 2, 1672, daughter of John and Patience (Soule) Hascoll, of Middleboro. She (Patience) was probably a granddaughter of George Soule of the "Mayflower," and was married in January, 1666. Thomas Drinkwater died before Aug. 1, 1721.

Children :

DRINKWATER.

3 Walter.

4 William?

5 Warren; moved to North Yarmouth with his brothers Joseph, George and John; Oct. 7, 1731, was appointed surveyor of the king's forests, by David Dunbar, Surveyor-General.

6 John; moved to North Yarmouth with his brothers Joseph, George and Warren; names all in York records.

7 Elizabeth.

(12) 8 Joseph; b. about 1710; d. Apr. 17, 1784.

(25) 9 Samuel.

10 Patience.

11 Phebe?

(23) 12 George; d. Nov. 21, 1737 (p. 1105.)

(8) Joseph Drinkwater (No. 1, p. 386), (No. 99, 1st Ch., North Yarmouth, Me., May 23, 1742). moved to N. Yarmouth about 1730 with his brothers John, George and Warren. He married, May 18, 1732 (p. 658).—

13 Jane Latham (No. 49, 1st Ch., Nov. 5, 1732); d. Nov. 15, 1794, aged 79.

Children :

DRINKWATER.

14 Thomas; b. Apr. 16, 1734 (p. 690); bap. June 30, 1734 (p. 491); for family see Nos. 38-41, p. 389.

15 Joseph; b. Aug. 27, 1736 (p. 690); bap. June 5, 1737 (p. 491); d. Dec. 7, 1822; for family see Nos. 14-25, p. 387.

16 John; b. Apr. 24, 1738 (p. 690); bap. July 30, 1738 (p. 493); d. Dec. 27, 1827; for family see Nos. 26-37½, pp. 387-388.

17 Micajah; b. Jan. 25, 1739 (p. 690); bap. May 18, 1740 (p. 493); res. Northport, Me. (p. 386.)

18 Anna; b. May 4, 1742 (p. 690); bap. May 23, 1742 (p. 613.)

19 Samuel; b. Feb. 24, 1743 (p. 690); for family see Nos.

42-46, p. 389; there were other children, Rufus, Azuba, Hephzibah, Bradford and Mary (pp. 931, 943, 945.)

20 Sarah; bap. Oct. 13, 1745 (p. 615); d. Aug. 16, 1806; m. Joseph Young.

(37) 21 Sylvanus; bap. Nov. 29, 1747 (p. 616); a record in the family says b. Jan. 1748.

21½ Daniel; bap. July 14, 1754 (p. 663) for family see Nos. 63½-72, p. 390.

22 David; bap. Nov. 3, 1751 (p. 618); for family see Nos. 56-63, pp. 389-390, and add thereto son Reuben, bap. Oct. 4, 1778 (p. 858.)

23 Phineas; bap. July 14, 1754 (p. 663); res. Portland, Maine; m. Margaret ———.

(12) George Drinkwater came to North Yarmouth with his brothers Joseph, John and Warren (see pp. 690, 797 and 1143.) He married, — —, 1734, —

24 Elizabeth Parker; No. 2, p. 828; b. Oct. 14, 1720; a daughter of Capt. James and Sarah (Ireson) Parker of North Yarmouth.

Children:

DRINKWATER.

25 Elizabeth; b. Mar. 5, 1734-5 (p. 690); d. Dec. 1, 1737 (p. 1106.)

(9) Samuel Drinkwater moved from Scituate to Dighton, (now Berkley), Mass. He married, —

26 Dorothy Josselyn, daughter of Charles and Dorothy (Paul) Josselyn. Dorothy Paul was a daughter of John and Dorothy (Walker) Paul.

Children:

DRINKWATER.

27 Elizabeth; m. Jonathan Bryant, of Scituate.

28 Phebe; m. David Cudworth, of Freetown, about 1759.

29 Mary; m. Charles Cudworth, of Freetown, about 1762.

30 Dorothy; m. Nathaniel Cudworth, of Freetown, April, 1768.

31 Samuel; m. Hannah Paine, about 1780.

32 Abigail; m. Edward Cudworth, of Freetown.

33 Susanna.

34 Sarah; m. Paul Cudworth, of Freetown, 1771.

35 Thomas; m. Lydia Paine, of Freetown; lost at sea, in 1780.

36 Desire.

37 John; never m.; lost at sea, in 1779.

(21) Capt. Sylvanus Drinkwater, No. 10, p. 386, also see Nos. 47-55, p. 389, married, —

38 Rachel Sweetser; No. 13, p. 1093; b. Nov. 9, 1753?;

d. Sept. —, 1843; No. 365, 1st Ch.; daughter of John and Elizabeth (Stevens) Sweetser.

Children:

DRINKWATER.

39 Olive; b. Feb. 23, 1775; d. May 1, 1777.

40 Apphia; b. Nov. 23, 1776; d. Oct. 4, 1847; m. Jacob Gray, No. 10 p. 712 and No. 22 p. 1116.

41 Sarah; b. Jan. 23, 1778; d. Apr. 6, 1824; m. James Prince, No. 41, pp. 726, 728.

42 William; b. Nov. 28, 1780; bap. Aug. 13, 1786 (p. 904); d. Aug. 14, 1801.

43 Sylvanus; b. May 27, 1782; bap. Aug. 13, 1786 (p. 904); d. Apr. 5, 1796.

44 Rachel; b. Mar. 27, 1784; bap. Aug. 13, 1786 (p. 904); d. July 7, —; m. Ephraim Sturdivant.

45 Nathan; b. Nov. 19, 1786; bap. Jan. 14, 1787 (p. 905); d. Jan. 16, 1794.

46 Leah; b. Jan. 10, 1788 (bap. Apr. 27, p. 905); d. Aug. 14, 1817; m. Andrews Blanchard.

47 Tristram Gilman; b. Aug. 21, 1790; bap. June 26, 1791 (p. 940); d. Sept. —, 1820; m. Margaret Loring; dau. Olive bap. Nov. 1, 1818 (p. 1021.)

48 Hannah; b. Apr. 10, 1792 (bap. May 20, p. 942); d. Sept. 13, 1803.

(49) Alethea Drue [Drew?]; b. Oct. 26, 1795; bap. Jan. 10, 1796 (p. 945); d. Mar. 16, 1864, at Cumberland, Me., at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Emma Conant (No. 52 below and No. 13, p. 1093), wife of Richard O. Conant.

(49) Alethea Drinkwater married,—

50 Capt. Solomon Loring, of Cumberland and Pownal, Me., (No. 329, p. 936), b. Oct. 17, 1792 (bap. Nov. 4, p. 943), d. Sept. 17, 1832.

Children:

LORING.

51 Albert; b. Oct. 19, 1825; d. at sea; m., Aug. 19, 1847, Ophelia Poland.

52 Emma; b. May 6, 1829; m. Richard O. Conant, of Portland, Me.; one son, Frederick Odell, b. Oct. 1, 1857.

53 Anna Gray; b. Aug. 23, 1830; m. Daniel A. Hall, of Topsham, Me.

54 Solomon; b. Jan. 11, 1833; went to sea in command of brig "James Roach" and never heard from.

Capt. Edward Drinkwater (No. 65, p. 390), bap. Nov. 14, 1792 (p. 943), d. 1848, resided at Webster, Maine. He had the following children: Joseph S., b. 1820, now of Topsham, who has a son, Col. Albion C., of Braintree, Mass., who was on the staff of Gov. B. F. Butler, and Henry, John, Mary, Apphia and

Elizabeth; Jacob; Reuben; Daniel; Jane, m. Dr. Cutter, of Webster, and has son Winfield.

Retiah (not Retair) Drinkwater, (No. 67, p. 390), resided in Durham, Maine, and had children Hiram and Retiah. Reuben Drinkwater (No. 71, p. 390), died in Ohio.

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THE BUXTON FAMILY.

1 James Buxton, the first settler of the name at North Yarmouth, Maine, was probably a son of John Buxton, of Salem, Mass., and grandson of Anthony Buxton the first on record who came to America. He was at North Yarmouth in 1723, and was among those who lived "convenient to go to Mr. William Scales' garrison." He drew home-lot No. 100, May 18, 1727 (p. 629), at the division of lands. See pages 32, 38, 70, 71, 92, 458, 682, 741, 822 and 823.

He married,—

2 Susanna Scales; No. 2, p. 163; daughter of William and Hannah (or Susanna) Scales (pp. 99, 630.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Farmer; Town Constable, and Collector.

Children:

BUXTON.

(13) 3 William; b. Feb. 19, 1726 (p. 32.)

4 Ebenezer; b. Oct. 20, 1727, at No. Yar. (p. 32.)

5 Hannah; b. Sept. 17, 1731 (p. 32); bap. Oct. 31, 1731 (p. 491); m., Dec. 13, 1753, Ezekiel Loring, No. 301, p. 934, where see family; see pp. 654, 659.

(16) 6 Cornelius; bap. Nov. 4, 1733 (p. 491); d. Jan. 13, '84.

(48) 7 Benjamin (see p. 617.)

8 James (see pp. 493, 616, 617, 629?)

9 Susanna (see p. 616.)

10 Mary.

11 Samuel.

12 John.

13 Elizabeth.

(Last three supposed to be his children.)

(3) William Buxton married,—

14 Lydia Jones.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Farmer; Town Clerk; Selectman.

Children: BUXTON.

(115) 15 Susanna.

(111) 16 Mary; b. 1741?; d. June 25, 1777.

(6) Cornelius Buxton (295, 1st Ch., July 31, 1774), married, Apr. 29, 1762 (int. of m. Apr. 29, 1762, pp. 32, 396),—

17 Lydia Bucknam (296, 1st Ch.), born July 16, 1742, died Feb. 7, 1778 (No. 21, p. 1120, also see p. 112), daughter of William and Ann (Pote) Bucknam, of North Yarmouth, Maine.

He married, 2d.—

18 Abigail Blanchard, (No. 6, p. 1090), (340, 1st Ch.), bap. Oct. 31, 1750 (p. 617), died Aug. 11, 1832 (pp. 88, 108), daughter of Nathaniel and Hannah (Shaw) Blanchard, of North Yarmouth, Maine.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Farmer. (See pp. 295, 506.)

Children: BUXTON.

(23) 19 William; b. Jan. 22, 1763; bap. Sept. 29, 1765 (p. 716); d. Mar. 25, 1845.

20 Phebe; b. Aug. 22, 1764; bap. Sept. 29, 1765 (p. 716); d. Apr. 9, 1812; m. Jacob Mitchell, No. 29, pp. 249, 251, where see family in full.

(35) 21 Jeremiah; b. Aug. 28, 1768; d. July 19, 1835 (see pp. 307, 395.)

22 Anna; b. May 9, 1770 (bap. June 24, p. 750); d. May 4, 1799; 418, 1st Ch.; unmarried.

23 Reuben; b. Apr. 7, 1781; bap. June 16, 1782 (p. 861); d. Oct. 8, 1786.

(19) William Buxton was a soldier of the Revolutionary War, being a member of Capt John Gray's company in Colonel Jonathan Mitchell's regiment, that took part in the Penobscot expedition. He was in the service nine months. In after life, he was a prominent and respected citizen of North Yarmouth, and afterwards of Cumberland, filling for many years offices of trust. He was a member of the Convention that framed the Constitution of Maine, and was repeatedly chosen to the State Senate.

See pages 54, 75, 97, 108, 120, 144, 161, 162, 209, 294, 306, 340, 361, 365, 395, 396, 428, 507, 508, 549, 559, 584, 620, 623, 722.

He married, July 9, 1790 (p. 725),—

24 Deborah Fisher, of North Yarmouth, Maine, (No. 7, p. 1029), bap. June 15, 1760 (p. 667), d. Mar. 3, 1804, daughter of Samuel and Hannah (Blanchard) Fisher.

He married, 2d, Apr. 11, 1816,—

25 Hannah Prince; (No. 141, pp. 762, 791), b. Aug. 8,

1787, d. Apr. 18, 1863, daughter of Thomas and Hannah (Prince) Prince; she was No. 611, 1st Ch., Dec. 6, 1812.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Merchant (Buxton & Mitchell, see pp. 115, 431.)

Children:

BUXTON.

26 Lydia; b. May 31, 1790; d. Nov. 3, 1817; unm.

27 Edward; b. Dec. 19, 1791; d. Jan. 5, 1819; unm.

28 Abigail; b. June 18, 1793; d. Dec. 6, 1811; unm.

29 Joseph; b. Dec. 22, 1794; d. Feb. 12, 1837; see pp.

296, 548, 585.

30 Hannah; b. Aug. 20, 1796; d. Nov. 20, 1878.

(104) 31 William; b. Dec. 5, 1797; d. Dec. 22, 1848.

(107) 32 Jeremiah; b. Dec. 5, 1797; d. July 29, 1838.

(109) 33 Anna; b. Dec. 28, 1803; d. Jan. 4, 1880.

34 Julia Staniford; b. Mar. 26, 1820; d. Jan. 26, 1821.

35 Phebe Mitchell; b. Apr. 9, 1825; res. Bethel, Me.;

see No. 213, p. 791.

(21) Jeremiah Buxton married, — —, 1796, —

36 Jane (Drinkwater) Gray, (widow of Andrew, No. 39, p. 1117), b. Mar. 14, 1772, d. Nov. 10, 1847; see No. 35, pp. 388, 399, also see pp. 341, 930.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine. (See pp. 10, 75, 168, 505, 508, 659, also Nos. 182-194, p. 399.)

Occupation: Farmer; Merchant.

Children:

BUXTON.

(51) 37 William; b. Oct. 28, 1796; d. July 27, 1873.

38 Reuben; b. Mar. 12, 1798; drowned, Dec. 4, 1819.

(60) 39 Jeremiah; b. Sept. 19, 1799; d. June 12, 1878.

40 Anna; b. Aug. 22, 1801; d. Oct. 31, 1801.

41 (Son); b. May 11, 1803; d. same day.

42 Jane Drinkwater; b. Aug. 15, 1804; d. Aug. 11, '05.

43 Andrew Gray; b. Jan. 23, 1806; d. Aug. 20, 1808.

44 Jacob Mitchell; b. June 22, 1808; d. young.

45 (Son); b. Feb. 28, 1810; d. Mar. 1, 1810.

(65) 46 Edward Gray; b. Jan. 23, 1811; d. Jan. 5, 1881; see No. 202, p. 1084.

(71) 47 Phebe Mitchell; b. Dec. 3, 1813.

(78) 48 Susan Drinkwater; b. June 16, 1816; d. Mar. 8, 1841.

(7) Benjamin Buxton, (341, 1st Ch., Sept. 20, 1789, dis. to ch. in Cumberland, Sept. 5, 1793), (see pp. 2, 23, 86, 87, 88, 106, 221, 430, 586), married, —

49 Elizabeth Grant (342, 1st Ch.)

Residence North Yarmouth and Cumberland, Maine.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children:

BUXTON.

- 50 Benjamin; (p. 394); bap. Sept. 27, 1789 (p. 906.)
 51 Charlotte; b. July 13 1783; bap. Sept. 27, 1789 (p. 906); m. William Sibley. of Freedom, Maine; for family in full, see p. 283.
 52 Jane.
 53 Sarah.
 54 Elizabeth.
 55 David.
 55½ Asaph.
 56 Ebenezer.
 56½ Alexander.
 (Nos. 52-56½ bap. Sept. 27, 1789, p. 906.)
 57 Jeremiah; bap. Mar. 4, 1792 (p. 942.)
 57½ Reuben; bap. Feb. 16, 1794 (p. 944.)

(37) William Buxton married, Oct. 27, 1836,—

58 Jane Chadbourne (No. 234, p. 401.)

The following newspaper notice at the time of his death, gives his history briefly: "Hon. William Buxton, one of the most highly respected and valued citizens of North Yarmouth, has passed away—making one less the number of the good, noble and patriotic men which is, alas! too small—adding one to that glorious army above. He was a native of North Yarmouth, and early interested himself in the affairs of the town, beginning his career as a town officer some time before he was thirty years of age. He filled every office of importance in town—serving the town as representative to the legislature thirteen years, twenty-one years as one of the selectmen of the town and two years as one of the Governor's council.

For many years he was one of the trustees of the school fund of the town and a trustee of North Yarmouth Academy. He was also a director of the Androscoggin & Kennebec railroad for one year. He always regarded the town as one of his special trusts, guarding its interest with a watchful eye, never losing his devotion to the town's affairs until failing energies and wasting disease began to make their sad inroads upon a formerly strong constitution and well balanced mind.

His method and accuracy in business was early imbibed and fastened by many years of intimacy and friendly relation with Gen. Edward Russell, one of the former worthies of North Yarmouth, whose systematic and careful business method he took great pride in alluding to and referring to as a model for town officers to imitate; which fact is well attested by an examination of the town records as kept for many years by Gen. Russell and Esquire Buxton.

He was a kind father and an obliging neighbor. He leaves a

large circle of friends and acquaintances to mourn his decease.”
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Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Merchant.

Children: BUXTON.

59 Abbie A.; b. May 16, 1838; d. July 19, 1860 (see p. 342.)

60 William Marrett; b. Apr. 19, 1848; d. Sept. 4, 1878; m. Ray Allen.

(39) Jeremiah Buxton (see pp. 75, 106, 114, 168, 173, 274, 402, 280, 508, 547, 548, 1004), married, Dec. 25, 1825,—

61 Mariam Drinkwater Byram, (No. 221, p. 401), daughter of Jonathan and Susanna (Drinkwater) Byram.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation; Shipmaster.

Children: BUXTON.

62 George D.; b. Oct. 5, 1826; d. Mar. 8, 1842 (p. 308.)

63 Jane C.; b. Jan. 6, 1829; res. Boston.

64 William Henry; b. Dec. 10, 1830; res. Virginia City, Nevada.

65 Willard W.; b. Oct. 28, 1843; wounded at the battle of Gettysburg, July 2, 1863; d. July 10, 1863; see p. 238.

(46) Edward Gray Buxton married, Jan. 23, 1835,—

66 Lydia Chase; No. 241, p. 402 and No. 104, pp. 1081, 1084; b. Jan. 27, 1811; dau. of Jacob and Lydia (Bacon) Chase.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Yarmouth, and Eastport, Maine.

Occupation: Merchant; Hotel-keeper. Postmaster, Yarmouth, 1849–1852 (pp. 66–67), also see p. 173.

Children: BUXTON.

(81) 67 Jeremiah; b. Dec. 11, 1835; see p. 402.

(85) 68 George Quinby; b. Oct. 21, 1837.

(89) 69 Frances Chase; b. Feb. 1, 1839.

(92) 70 Edward Smith; b. May 9, 1842.

(95) 71 Charles Moxey; b. Jan. 9, 1852.

(47) Phebe Mitchell Buxton married, July 26, 1843,—

72 Almon Twitchell; b. Sept. 14, 1811; d. Oct. 29, 1859.

Residence: Bethel, Maine. (See Nos. 247–253, p. 402.)

Occupation: Physician.

Children: TWITCHELL.

73 Alice Gray; b. July 18, 1844; res. Augusta, Me.

74 Cornelia Buxton; b. Sept. 19, 1845; d. Dec. 10, '47.

75 George Maurice; b. Sept. 17, 1847; m., Jan. 26, 1870, Florence Allen, of Yarmouth, Me.; res. Fairfield, Me.; dentist.

(98) 76 Mary Jane; b. Sept. 10, 1849; d. Sept. 17, 1876.

- 77 Edward Almon; b. Nov. 22, 1853; d. Aug. 8, 1854.
(101) 78 Anna Buxton; b. May 1, 1856.

(48) Susan Drinkwater Buxton married, Nov. 14, 1835,—

79 George Bacon.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Shipmaster.

Children: BACON.

80 William Orville; d. young.

81 ———; (see pp. 167, 257.)

(67) Jeremiah Buxton married, Jan. 26, 1862,—

82 Esther A. Frost (1330, 1st Ch.), of Leeds, Me.

Residence: Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Manfr. Patent Medicines.

Children: BUXTON.

83 Abbie Adna; b. Apr. 25, 1863.

84 Frank Jennings; b. Dec. 9, 1864.

85 Laura Chase; b. July 14, 1867; d. Dec. 16, 1867.

(68) George Quinby Buxton married,—

86 Lucetta S——.

Residence: Yarmouth, Me.; Randolph, Cal.; Sierra Valley,
Sierra County, Cal. (1880.)

Occupation: Proprietor of stage-line to Truckee, Cal.; hotel.

Children: BUXTON.

87 Frank B.; b. 1867.

88 ———.

89 ———.

(69) Frances Chase Buxton married, Aug. 2, 1868,—

90 Richard B. Hines, of Cambridgeport, Mass.

Residence: Cambridgeport, Mass.

Occupation: ———.

Children: HINES.

91 Florence May.

92 Edward Buxton.

(70) Edward Smith Buxton married, Oct. 18, 1876,—

93 Emma E. Stevens, of Eastport, Me.

Residence: Eastport, Me.

Occupation: ———.

Children: BUXTON.

94 Simon Stevens; b. July 6, 1879.

95 George Quinby; b. Jan. 13, 1881.

(71) Charles Moxey Buxton married, at Charlestown, Mass.,
Mar. 2, 1876,—

96 K. S. Childs.

Residence: Eastport, Me.

Occupation: ———.

Children: BUXTON.

97 Horace C.; b. Jan. 16, 1877.

98 Edward G.; b. May 20, 1879.

(76) Mary Jane Twitchell married, Jan. 9, 1872,—

99 Albert A. Trull.

Residence: Lancaster, N. H.

Occupation: ———.

Children: TRULL.

100 Alice May; b. Nov. 26, 1872.

101 Edward Almon; b. May 31, 1874; d. Feb. 7, 1876.

(78) Anna Buxton Twitchell married, — —, 1876,—

102 S—— Irving French.

Residence: Bethel, Me.

Occupation: ———.

Children: FRENCH.

103 Cornelia Browne; b. Oct. 22, 1877.

104 George Harold; b. Apr. 20, 1881.

(31) William Buxton (pp. 548, 585), married, Apr. 9, 1840,

105 Mary A. Lang.

Residence: Cumberland, Me.

Occupation: ———.

Children: BUXTON.

106 Edward Franklin; b. Aug. 17, 1841; d. Oct. 5, 1871;
unmarried.

107 Maria Gray; b. Oct. 15, 1846; d. Dec. 29, 1880;
unmarried.

(32) Jeremiah Buxton married, Dec. 12, 1833,—

108 Mary Steele; 1033, 1st Ch., Sept. 6, 1840; married,
2d, Nicholas Rideout, of Cumberland, Me.

Residence: Cumberland, Me. (See pp. 508, 547, 548, 580.)

Occupation: ———.

Children: BUXTON.

109 Julia; b. Jan. —, 1836; d. June 21, 1840.

(33) Anna Buxton married, June —, 1825,—

110 David Gray, son of Jacob (No. 22, p. 1116) and
Apphia (Drinkwater) Gray.

Residence: Cumberland, Me.

Occupation : ———.

Children : GRAY.

111 Horace Irving ; b. Aug. —, 1834 ; d. Jan. 14, 1870 ; unmarried.

(16) Mary Buxton (297, 1st Ch., Aug. 28, 1774), married,
112 William Chase (311, 1st Ch., Sept. 13, 1778, d. July 22, 1798, aged 62.) (See pp. 988, 989.) His second wife, (by whom he had two children, Hannah, bap. Dec. 2, 1781 (p. 860), and Timothy, bap. Nov. 2, 1783 (p. 902), and perhaps others) was Mariam Cole, (see p. 989.)

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine (about 1760, see p. 55, 1st Ch. Catalogue.)

Occupation : Physician (see p. 63.)

Children : CHASE.

113 William ; bap. Sept. 1, 1765 (p. 716.)

113½ Asa ; bap. Dec. 29, 1765 (p. 716) ; 451, 1st Ch., May 13, 1792, dis. to ch. in Cumberland, Sept. 5, 1793 ; m. Hannah Mitchell, 474 1st Ch. ; m. 2d, Sarah (Sally) Chase, see No. 8, p. 989.

114 Mary ; bap. May 15, 1768 (p. 748.)

115 Lucretia ; bap. May 14, 1775 (p. 804.)

(15) Susanna Buxton (300, 1st Ch., May 17, 1776) married

116 Joseph Staples.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : ———.

Children : STAPLES.

117 Levi ; bap. Aug. 18, 1776 (p. 805.)

118 Reuben ; bap. do.

119 Sarah ; bap. do.

120 Jeremiah ; bap. Nov. 9, 1777 (p. 857.)

121 David ; bap. Aug. 26, 1781 (p. 860.)

122 Joseph ; bap. Sept. 12, 1785 (p. 903.)

The following are probably children of James Buxton, No. 8, page 1146, "of New Casco."

1 Mary ; bap. Apr. 15, 1739 (p. 493.)

2 Susannah ; bap. Apr. 26, 1747 (p. 616.)

3 Benjamin ; bap. Apr. 8, 1750 (p. 617.)

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ARMS.—"He beareth Argent, a Lyon Rampant, the Tail Elevated and Twined over the Head Sable ; by the name of Buxton ; being granted to John Buxton, of Tibenham, in County of Norfolk."

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DEATHS IN YARMOUTH, MAINE,

JAN. 1, 1883 to JAN. 1, 1884.

[BY CAPT. JAMES J. HUMPHREY.]

Feb. 6 Samuel Brown, aged 68 years 5 months.

" 8 Lois, dau. of Clarence L. & Lucy E. Mitchell, 2 yrs.

" 13 Thomas G. Cleaves, 41 yrs.

" 19 Emma R., dau. Clarence L. & Lucy E. Mitchell, 4 yrs.
4 mos.

Mar. 9 Hon. Charles Humphrey, 70 yrs. 11 mos.

" 10 Elizabeth, sister of late Capt. John Young, 76 yrs.

" 12 Alford R. True, 71 yrs. 3 mos.

" 20 Dean Black, infant.

" 24 Henry Gooding, 37 yrs. 4 mos. ; shot by accident.

" 30 Mary E., dau. of Joseph W. & Mary Mansfield, 10 mos.

Apr. 2 Bessie E. Dailey, 3 yrs.

" " Mary, dau. of late Thomas & Justina Cleaves, 4 yrs.

" 3 Capt. Perez N. Blanchard, 68 yrs.

" 4 Olive, wid. late Capt. Levi Blanchard, 87 yrs. 3 mos.

" 12 Eddie P. Mitchell, 9 yrs. 5 mos.

" 13 Barnard Nichols 71 yrs.

" 20 Benjamin Freebon, 76 yrs.

May 1 Cora B. Stubbs, 25 yrs. 6 mos.

" 3 Bertie Baker, 9 yrs. 11 mos.

" 7 Bessie E. Tolbert, 9 mos.

" 21 Mark Adams, 76 yrs.

" 25 Miranda P., wid. late Daniel Sweetser, 74 yrs. 2 mos.

June 8 David Magrath, 21 yrs.

July 6 Sarah M., wid. of late Samuel Brown, 60 yrs.

" 20 Clarissa B., wid. of late William Noyes, 82 yrs. 3 mos.

" 21 Cara A. J., wf. of Edward R. Humphrey, 27 yrs.

" 30 Albert Wescott, 7 yrs. 5 mos.

Aug. 19 Walter Libby, 71 yrs. 8 mos.

" 21 Harriet K. Brackett, 45 yrs. 2 mos.

" 28 Inez C. Winslow, 11 mos.

" 29 William Mitchell, 58 yrs.

" " Joanna, wf. of Hiram Lunt, 60 yrs. 4 mos.

Sept. 20 Jeanette E. Groves, 33 yrs. 2 mos.

" 22 Elizabeth S., wf. of Thomas M. Scammon, 57 yrs.

Oct. 5 George G. Gooding, 54 yrs.

- Oct. 28 Patrick Duran, 73 yrs. 1 mo. ; the "umbrella man."
 Nov. 10 Albert L. Barbour, 6 mos.
 " 27 Maj. Richmond L. Storer, 73 yrs. 3 mos.
 Dec. 8 Olive B., dau. Simon & Ann E. Mitchell, 21 yrs. 4 m.
 " 21 George M. Soule. 63 yrs. 9 mos.
 " 30 Sumner T. Gooch, 55 yrs.

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THE HITCHCOCK FAMILY.

1 Doctor Gad Hitchcock, (a son of Dr. Gad Hitchcock of Abington, Mass., and a grandson of Rev. Gad Hitchcock), was born at Pembroke, Mass., Apr. 18, 1788, and died at North Yarmouth, Maine, Nov. 17, 1837. He was the 562d member of the First Church, North Yarmouth, July 22, 1810. (See pages 64, 104, 1125.) He married,—

2 Mary Lincoln Thaxter, (daughter of Gridley Thaxter, of Abington, Mass., and granddaughter of Gen. Benjamin Lincoln of the Revolutionary Army.) She was born at Abington, Mass., May 23, 1790, and died at North Yarmouth, Maine, Nov. 30, 1875. She was the 603d member of the First Church, North Yarmouth, Apr. 20, 1812 (p. 1018.)

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : Physician (see p. 64.)

Children : HITCHCOCK.

3 Bela Thaxter ; b. Nov. 15, 1811 ; bap. Jan. 8, 1812 (p. 1018) ; d. at Princeton, Arkansas, Apr. 7, 1876 (p. 207) ; was a physician.

4 Lavinia ; b. Jan. 19, 1813 (bap. Mar. 7, p. 1018) ; d. May 10, 1830.

5 Henry Bailey ; b. Dec. 4, 1814 ; bap. Jan. 22, 1815 (p. 1019) ; residence, Yarmouth, Maine ; a painter.

6 Sarah Lincoln ; b. Sept. 17, 1816 (bap. Nov. 3, p. 1020) ; d. Oct. 6, 1845.

7 Rufus William (not William Rufus, as given before) ; b. July 26, 1818 ; bap. July 4, 1819 (p. 1021) ; d. Feb. 4, 1877.

(15) 8 Gad ; b. Mar. 20, 1820 (bap. June 11, p. 1021.)

- 9 Mary Shattuck; b. May 3, 1822 (bap. Oct. 20, p. 1023.)
 10 Gridley; b. Mar. 3, 1824 (bap. July 11, p. 1053); d. Dec. 28, 1873.
 11 Benjamin; b. Mar. 25, 1826 (bap. Nov. 12, p. 1054); d. Feb. 20, 1845.
 12 Harriet Bailey; b. Sept. 11, 1828; bap. May 24, 1829 (p. 1055); d. May 5, 1837.
 13 Susan Harris; b. Dec. 5, 1830; bap. Oct. 27, 1833 (p. 1111.)
 14 Ann Blanchard; b. May 15, 1833 (bap. Oct. 27, p. 1111.)
 15 Samuel Sweetser; b. Mar. 9, 1835; bap. July 17, 1836 (p. 1112.)

(8) Gad Hitchcock married, Jan. 26, 1845,—

16 Mary Eliza Davis; b. Mar. 12, 1824.

Residence: Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Painter.

Children:

HITCHCOCK.

- 17 Benjamin Thaxter; b. Dec. 11, 1845; d. July 11, 1846.
 18 Lincoln Thaxter; b. May 3, 1847; d. Aug. 24, 1848.
 19 William Stockbridge; b. May 4, 1849; d. Sept. 10, '50.
 (25) 20 George Angier; b. July 6, 1851.
 21 Arthur Lincoln; b. July 17, 1853; d. Sept. 14, 1853.
 22 Maurice Everett; b. June 26, 1855; d. Sept. 21, 1884;
 a machinist.
 23 Mary Lavinia; b. June 14, 1858.
 24 Thomas Davis; b. Jan. 5, 1860.
 25 Charles Henzey; b. Oct. 8, 1864.

(20) George Angier Hitchcock married, Nov. 17, 1874,—

26 Addie S. Tolman.

Residence: Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: ———.

Children:

HITCHCOCK.

- 27 Laura Elma; b. Mar. 30, 1876.
 28 Edwin Thomas; b. Nov. 18, 1879.
 29 Florence; b. Oct. 17, 1881.

(1874-1884)

GENEALOGICAL NOTES.

(Continued from page 1128.)

JONES.—1 Joseph Jones married,—

2 Abigail ———.

Children: JONES.

3 (Son); d. Jan. 20, 1737 (p. 1105.)

4 Joseph; b. Mar. 23, 1734-5; bap. May 8, 1737 (p. 492.)

1 Doctor David Jones, a surgeon of the Revolutionary War (see p. 275), born in Abington, Mass., began the practice of medicine in North Yarmouth, Maine, in 1785 (p. 55, Shepley's First Church Catalogue.) He was the 349th member of the First Church, Aug. 22, 1790. He died Mar. 27, 1822, aged 74 years. (See pp. 64, 607, 962.) He married,—

2 Elizabeth Hobart; 350, 1st Ch., Aug. 22, 1790; d. July 16, 1843, aged 82; see pp. 104, 275.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Physician.

Children: JONES.

3 Mary; bap. Nov. 8, 1789 (p. 906.)

4 Elizabeth; bap. do.

5 Sarah; bap. do.

6 Jacob Hobart; bap. do.; a miller, see p. 276.

7 David; bap. do.

8 Esther Blake; bap. Jan. 16, 1791 (p. 940.)

9 Abigail Greenleaf; bap. Nov. 8, 1795 (p. 945.)

10 Elias; bap. Feb. 24, 1799 (p. 980.)

11 Jane Talman; bap. Feb. 24, 1805 (p. 983.)

A daughter of Dr. David Jones married John Hale. The wife of Albert W. Paine, of Bangor, Maine, 1880, is a descendant of Dr. Jones.

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JOHNSON.—1 Joseph Johnson (taxed, 1759, 14s 3d 1, p. 71), married,—

2 Mary Ring; 91, 1st Ch., Apr. 20, 1742; d. Dec. —, 1808, aged 83; she m., 2d, Andrew Gray[?], (see pp. 33, 913.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children: JOHNSON.

3 Content; bap. May 23, 1742 (p. 613.)

4 Nathan; bap. May 22, 1743 (p. 614.)

5 Andrew Ring; bap. Nov. 3, 1745 (pp. 615, 913.)

6 Annah; bap. May 29, 1748 (p. 616.)

7 Joseph; bap. June 11, 1749 (p. 617.)

8 Joshua; bap. Dec. 8, 1751 (p. 618, 603?)

9 Mercy?; bap. Feb. 23, 1755 (p. 664.)

10 Elizabeth; bap. May 28, 1758 (p. 666); d. Apr. 1, 1759 (p. 1109)

11 Mercy; bap. June 1, 1760 (p. 667.)

12 Lucretia; bap. Aug. 29, 1762 (p. 715.)

13 Sarah Newland; bap. May 15, 1768 (p. 748.)
(A child of Joseph Johnson d. Jan. 30, 1761, p. 1109.)

KNIGHT.—1 William Knight, of New Casco, married,—
2 ———.

Children:

KNIGHT.

- 3 Sarah; bap. Oct. 23, 1743 (p. 614.)
- 4 Jeremiah; bap. June 2, 1745 (p. 615.)
- 5 Eunice; bap. Oct. 24, 1748 (p. 616.)

William Knight, Jr., of Falmouth, int. m., July 28, 1757, with
Ann Johnson (p. 396.)

Robert Knight m. Mercy Blanchard, July 23, 1790 (p. 725.)

KNAPP.—1 Thankful Knapp, mulatto, bap. Apr. 22, 1753 (p. 663), had,—

- 2 Jemima; bap. Apr. 22, 1753 (p. 663.)
- 3 Abigail; bap. Nov. 18, 1753 (p. 663.)
- 4 Shadrack; bap. May 16, 1756 (p. 665.)

KENDALL.—1 Jonathan Kendall (172, 1st Ch., June 24, 1753),
married,—

2 Rebecca ———.

Children:

KENDALL.

- 3 Huldah; b. June 14 1753 (bap. Aug. 5, p. 663.)
- 4 Ralph; b. Feb. 24, 1755 (bap. May 4, p. 664.)

KING.—1 Edward King (74, 1st Ch., Apr. 30, 1738), (pew
No. 6, 1747, p. 464), married, Apr. 26, 1733 (p. 659),—

2 Mary Scales (daughter of William), (75, 1st Ch.)

Residence: North Yarmouth. Maine.

Occupation: Surveyor; Selectman ((pp. 49, 52, 1st Ch. Cat.)

Children:

KING.

- 3 Peter; b. Oct. 28, 1734 (bap. Nov. 3, p. 491.)
- 4 Thomas; b. Jan. 11, 1736; bap. May 22, 1737 (p. 492.)
- 5 Susanna; b. Jan. 7, 1739; bap. Jan. 13, 1740 (p. 493.)
- 6 Abigail; b. Mar. 21, 1741; bap. May 2, 1742 (p. 613.)
- 7 Edward; b. Apr. 20, 1744 (bap. May 13, p. 614.)
- 8 Ezra; b. June 3, 1746 (bap. June 29, p. 615.)
- (10) 9 William; b. Oct. 13, 1748.
- 10 Samuel; b. Apr. 26, 1751.

(9) William King married,—

11 ———.

Children:

KING.

- 12 Elizabeth; bap. Apr. 11, 1762 (p. 714.)
- 13 Sarah; bap. do.

LINDSEY.—1 James Lindsey, of North Yarmouth, blacksmith. Dec. 25, 1731, deeded land to John Stearns (p. 684.) He had removed from town before 1736. He married,—

2 Bathsheba ——— (No. 28, 1st Ch., Feb. 6, 1732.)

Children: LINDSEY.

3 James; bap. Feb. 6, 1732 (p. 491.)

4 David; bap. Mar. 19, 1732 (p. 491.)

LEWIS.—1 Judge John Lewis (152, 1st Ch., Dec. 13, 1747), d. Mar. 4, 1803, aged 86. He married, Nov. 20, 1746 (see pp. 654, 659),—

2 Mary Mitchell, (153, 1st Ch.), daughter of Jacob and Mary (Howland) Mitchell; d. Aug. 30, 1794, aged 71; No. 22, p. 249. See pp. 80, 692, 962, 965. He married, 2d,—

3 Lydia (Paul) Worthley (widow of Samuel Worthley), No. 263, 1st Ch., Apr. 28, 1771, d. Jan. 24, 1804, aged 65; (dau. of Daniel and Sarah (Bragdon) Paul?)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Judge (see p. 55, 1st Ch. Cat.)

Children: LEWIS.

4 John; b. Sept. 3, 1747 (bap. Dec. —, p. 616); d. Feb. 25, 1752.

(8) 5 Asa; b. Feb. 10, 1749; bap. Apr. 8, 1750 (p. 617); d. June 18, 1808.

6 Mary; b. Aug. 17, 1752 (bap. Aug. 30, p. 663); d. Feb. 27, 1840, aged 87; 503, 1st Ch., July 13, 1794; m. Daniel Mitchell.

7 Isaiah; b. Jan. 14, 1757 (bap. Apr. 17, p. 665.)

8 John; d. Apr. 10, 1758 (p. 1108.)

(5) Asa Lewis (see p. 962), (No. 322, 1st Ch., Aug. 26, 1781), married,—

9 Sarah Hobart (No. 257, 1st Ch., June 10, 1770; d. Jan. 7, 1791, aged 21. He married, 2d,—

10 Lucy Southworth, daughter of Deacon John and Joanna (Mitchell) Southworth, (No. 328, 1st Ch., Aug. 17, 1783); bap. Apr. 19, 1767 (p. 717); d. Mar. 25, 1798, aged 31.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: ———. (Selectman, p. 52, 1st Ch. Cat.)

Children: LEWIS.

11 Susanna Cushman; bap. Feb. 8, 1789 (p. 906); d. Jan. 5, 1854, aged 64; m. Samuel Gammon; for family in full see p. 1125; she was No. 613, 1st Ch., Apr. 25, 1813.

12 George; bap. Aug. 14, 1796 (p. 946); m. Elizabeth Moulton (No. 847, 1st Ch., July 3, 1831, dis. to Central Ch. Mar. 30, 1859.)

13 Sarah Hobart; bap. Sept. 24, 1797 (p. 980); d. Apr. 21, 1852, aged 54; No. 876, 1st Ch., Oct. 2, 1831; m. Ezekiel Mer-

rill, 875 1st Ch., who d. Jan. 12, 1870, aged 74.

Abijah Lewis, of Flying Point, had dau. Jenny bap. Feb. 25, 1771 (p. 751.)

Sarah Lewis, adult. bap. Dec. 1, 1765 (p. 716.)

Rachel Lewis (No. 122, 1st Ch., Oct. 10, 1743), m., 1st, 1718, David Cushing; she m., 2d, Col. Jacob Mitchell (see p. 249); she was b. June 19, 1694, d. Mar. 15, 1768, dau. of John and 4th in descent from George of Barnstable.

Job Lewis was admitted a freeman of Falmouth, Sept. 18, 1727, and afterwards became a citizen of North Yarmouth, where he died. May 18, 1727, he drew Lot 64 (see p. 629.)

Edmund Lewis' infant died Apr. 11, 1762 (p. 1109.)

Low.—1 William Low married, Aug. 21, 1760 (p. 659),—

2 Elizabeth Winslow, daughter of Issacher and Mary Winslow, b. Oct. 29, 1734 (No. 14, p. 1103.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: ———.

Children: LOW.

3 Josiah; bap. Nov. 8, 1761 (p. 714.)

4 Jesse; bap. do.

5 Elizabeth Cushman; bap. Aug. 5, 1764 (p. 715.)

6 Jeremiah; bap. Oct. 23, 1768 (p. 749.)

Ebenezer Low, of Wells, had dau. Mary bap. at North Yarmouth, Oct. 17, 1773 (p. 802.)

Elizabeth Woodbury Low, (No. 824, 1st Ch., Mar. 6, 1831 (p. 1055), dis. to ch. in Industry, Dec. 22, 1841), m. Pelatiah Shory.

1 Solomon Low married,—

2 Hannah ———, (No. 580, 1st Ch., Oct. 21, 1810; d. June 1, 1846, aged 71.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: ———.

Children: LOW.

3 Rebecca Sykes; bap. in schoolhouse near Pownal, Jan. 23, 1811 (p. 1017.)

4 Hannah; bap. do.; 795, 1st Ch., Dec. 3, 1829; d. Jan. 1, 1861, aged 59; bur. with sister Drusilla, see p. 370.

5 Drusilla; bap. do.; 842, 1st Ch., June 5, 1831; d. Jan. 5, 1861, aged 55; bur. with sister Hannah, see p. 370.

6 Anna; bap. do.

7 Seward: (adopted); bap. Jan. 2, 1823 (p. 1053.)

ROYALL.—Samuel Royall, of Boston, m. Priscilla Adams, Oct. 19, 1719, and had Eliah, who m., June 17, 1746 (see pp. 654, 660), Bathsheba Bailey, b. Mar. 14, 1727, dau. of Robert and Martha (Clark?) Bailey, of North Yarmouth (see p. 907), and had :—

Priscilla ; b. Aug. 10, 1747 ; m. Thomas Haskell, Oct. 1, 1761 (see pp. 660, 1110.)

Martha ; b. Aug. 6, 1750 (bap. Aug. 12, p. 617.)

Adams ; bap. Aug. 16, 1752 (p. 663.)

Otis ; bap. June 22, 1755 (p. 664.)

Samuel ; bap. Apr. 6, 1760 (p. 667.)

Bathsheba ; bap. Aug. 22, 1762 (pp. 714, 715.)

1 Jacob Royall, Junior, married, June 26, 1749 (pp. 654, 660),—

2 Hannah Brown. He married, 2d,—

3 Susanna ——— (p. 803.)

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : ———.

Children :

ROYALL.

4 Moley (Mary) ; b. Apr. 6, 1750 ; bap. Jan. 6, 1751 (p. 617.)

5 Miriam ; b. Apr. 17, 1751 (b. Dec. 8, p. 618.)

6 Rebecca ; b. Feb. 7, 1754 (bap. Feb. 17, p. 663.)

7 Hannah ; b. Jan. 7, 1756 (bap. Feb. 22, p. 664.)

8 William ; b. Sept. 29, 1757 ; bap. Jan. 1, 1758 (p. 666.)

9 Elizabeth ; bap. Feb. 3, 1760 (p. 667.)

10 Isaac ; bap. July 28, 1765 (p. 716.)

11 Jacob ; bap. June 12, 1774 (p. 803.)

12 Penelope ; bap. do.

13 Priscilla ; bap. do.

14 Sarah Brown ; bap. July 30, 1776 (p. 805.)

15 Peter Brown ; bap. Apr. 13, 1777 (p. 857.)

Isaac Royall, of North Yarmouth, married, Nov. 3, 1785, Deborah Dyer, of Cape Elizabeth.

1 Samuel Winthrop Royall (No. 27, p. 579), (soldier, 1777, p. 283), married, May 22, 1759 (pp. 579, 660),—

2 Naomi Bailey, of North Yarmouth, b. June 12, 1742 (p. 907), bap. July 4, 1742 (p. 613), dau. of Robert and Martha Bailey (p. 907.)

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : Tailor (p. 1110.)

Children :

ROYALL.

3 Samuel ; bap. May 18, 1766 (p. 717.)

4 Robert ; bap. July 10, 1768 (p. 749.)

5 John ; bap. Apr. 28, 1771 (p. 751.)

6 Priscilla ; bap. Oct. 30, 1774 (p. 804.)

7 Winthrop; bap. Feb. 16, 1777 (p. 857.)

8 Elizabeth; bap. Sept. 30, 1783 (p. 902.)

Isaac Royall, of North Yarmouth, was a private soldier during the Revolutionary War.

LAKE.—1 Benjamin Lake (No. 22, 1st Ch., June 27, 1731. d. before 1747, married,—

2 Mercy Eaton (daughter of Ebenezer and Hannah Eaton, p. 1025?.) She m., 2d, Nov. 5, 1747 (p. 657), Ebenezer Bishop.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children:

LAKE.

(7) 3 Benjamin; b. Dec. 22, 1732.

4 Ebenezer; b. Sept. 17, 1734 (bap. Sept. 22, p. 491); m. and had dau. Joanna bap. June 15, 1760 (p. 667.)

5 Hannah; b. Sept. 17, 1737 (bap. Sept. 20, p. 492); m. Edward Brewer, 1753 (see pp. 653, 909); she was 215, 1st Ch., Sept. 19, 1762; d. after 1804.)

6 Mercy; b. Feb. 24, 1740 (bap. Mar. 2, p. 493); m. Nov. 23, 1758, David Pettingill (see pp. 660, 968, 1025.)

7 Elisha; b. July 30, 1742 (bap. Aug. 1, p. 613.)

(3) Benjamin Lake (291, 1st Ch. June 12, 1774), captured by Indians, June 20, 1748 (p. 50, 1st Ch. Cat.), (p. 1110); d. before 1800; married, Jan. 22, 1759 (p. 659).—

8 Lydia Hutton; (292, 1st Ch.) bap. June 19, 1774 (p. 803); d. before 1800, aged 75.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children:

LAKE.

9 Joshua; bap. June 19, 1774 (p. 803.)

10 Benjamin; bap. do.

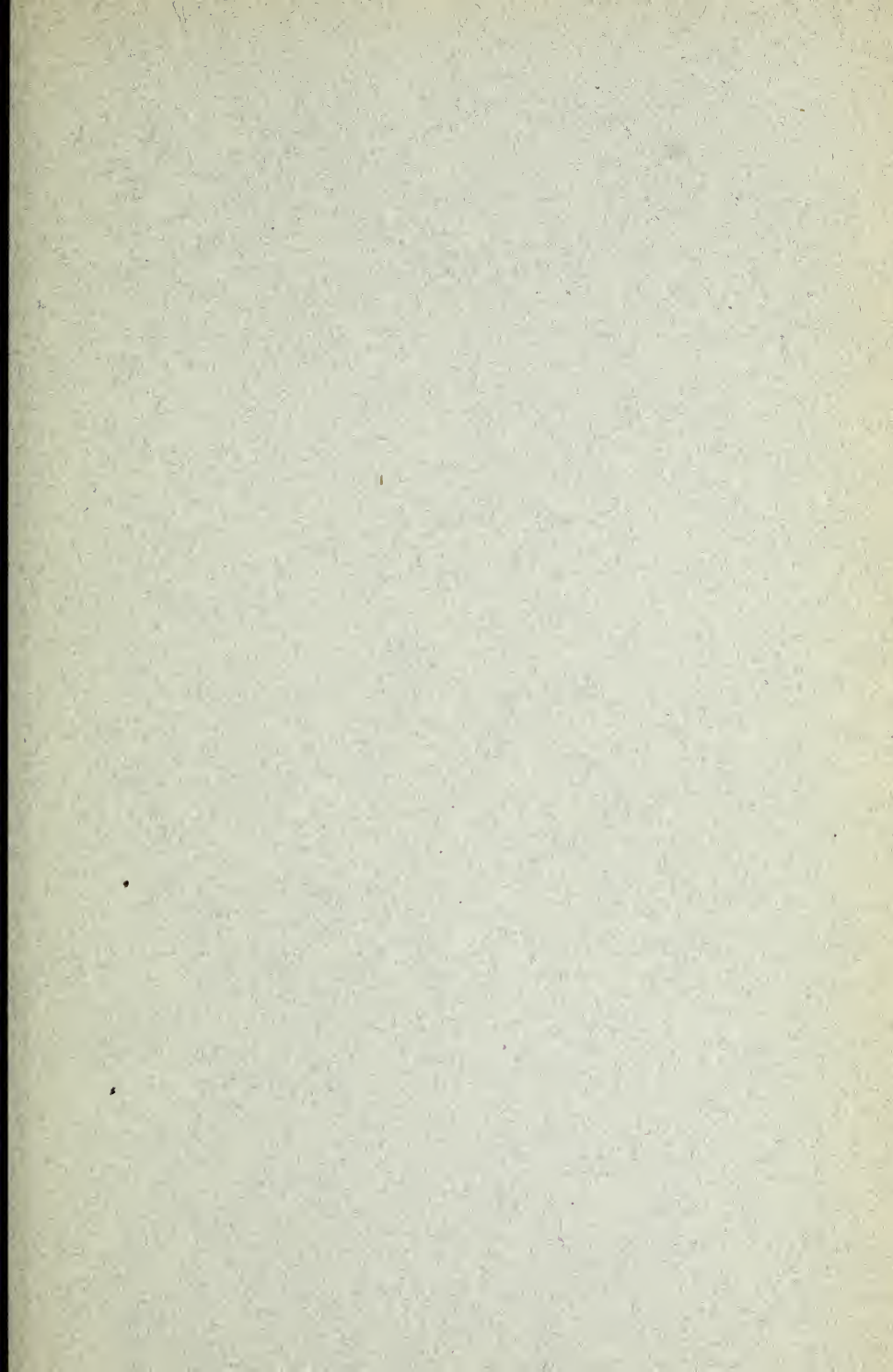
11 John; bap. do.

12 Eleazer; bap. do.

13 Molly; bap. do.

14 Mercy; bap. July 21, 1776 (p. 805.)

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GENEALOGIES—The following-named Genealogies have been published in "OLD TIMES":—True, page 27; Greely, 42; Prince, 51, 78 and 563; Bucknam, 111; Drinkwater, 123 and 386; Wyman, 161 and 661; Mitchell, 247; Corliss, 285 and 326; Gray, 346; Russell, 355; Seabury, 373; Field, 448; Weare, 475; Royall, 573; Oakes, 635; Humphrey, 695 and 833; Bradbury, 718; Cutter, 764; Stockbridge, 806; Soule, 813; Hawes, 841; Loring, 875; Ring, 913; Cole, 965; Pettingill, 967; Felt, 1025; Stubbs, 1026; Fisher, 1029; Mason, 1047; Fogg, 1062; Griffin, 1062; Elwell, 1067; Lufkin, 1077; Lane, 1085; Blanchard, 1089; Sweetser, 1092; Chandler, 1095; Storer, 1099; Winslow, 1102; Gray, revised, 1115; Bucknam, revised, 1119; Sweetser, revised, 1138; Drinkwater, revised, 1142; Buxton, 1146; Hitchcock, 1155.

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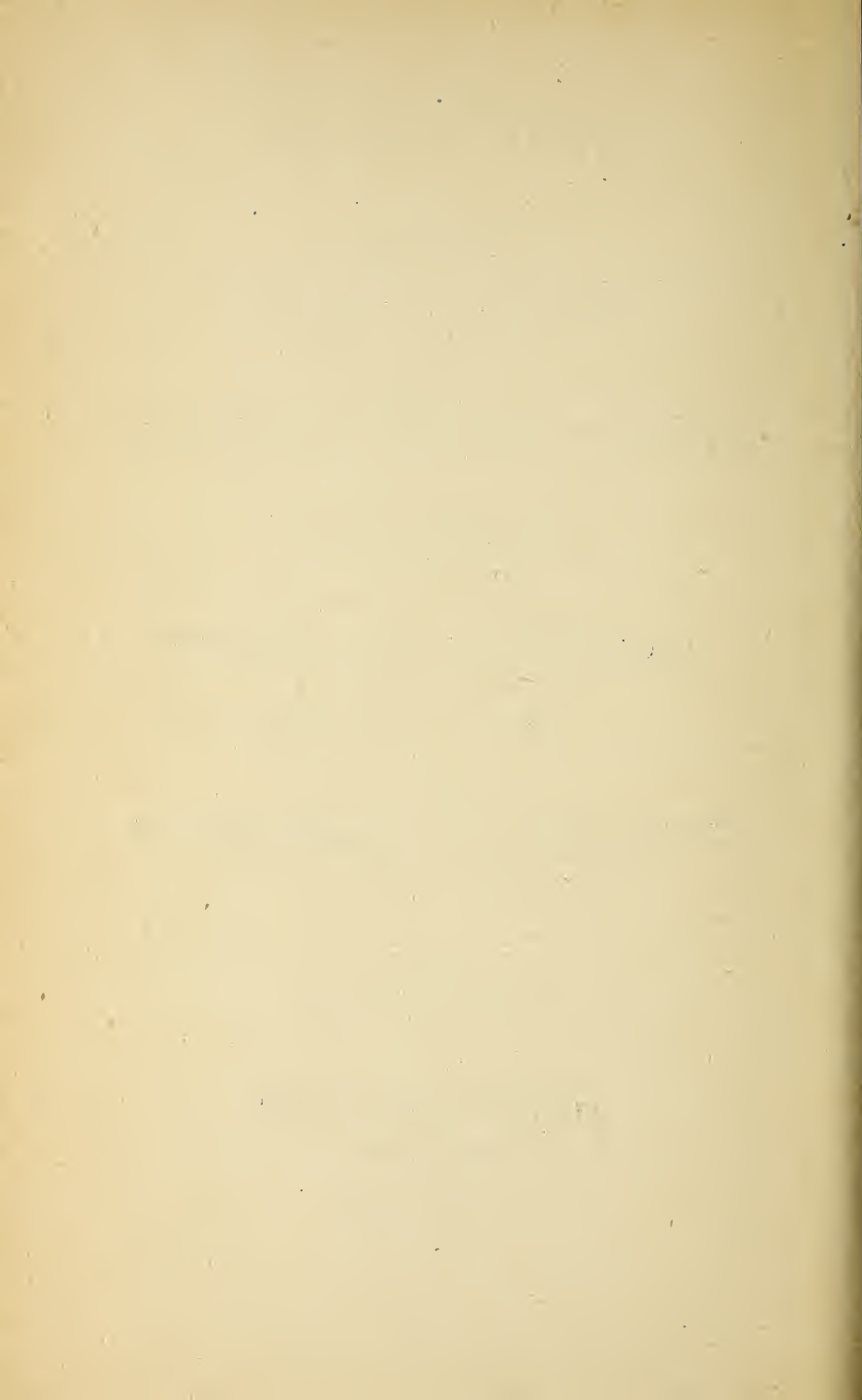
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JOHN AND JEREMIAH POWELL.

[BY REV. AMASA LORING.]

Among the names which have an honored place in the early history of North Yarmouth, are those placed at the head of this article. It is not well for the descendants of the pioneers of this town to forget them. Both were identified with its permanent settlement, were much intrusted with its public affairs, and were active and influential in laying the foundations of its social, political and religious institutions.

John Powell, Esq., is introduced to our notice by his official connection with the replanting of the third settlement of North Yarmouth. This outlived the stress of war, drove back the repeated attacks of savage Indians and steadily grew up into its past and present importance. Twice had former settlers fled before their savage invaders, and left their homes to be plundered and burnt,—their possessions to be laid waste.

At length peace was established. The warlike and unstable sons of the forest had promised to "bury the tomahawk." The time appeared to have come to resume the occupancy of the inviting acres. The surviving of the fugitive settlers, and the heirs of those already departed, began to return to these desolations. But in the changes of twenty-five years, landmarks were blotted out, boundary lines were obliterated, and the fields, abandoned in lovely fruitfulness, had lapsed into a rising forest. So after a few years of contested claims and doubtful titles, the in-comers petitioned the General Court to appoint a Committee to settle these preferred claims, to apportion lots to new settlers and to deed to each actual settler his proper portion. In 1722, this

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Committee was appointed,—more than thirty years after Captain Walter Gendall fell by the fatal shot of the Indians. This Committee consisted of William Tayler, Elisha Cook, William Dudley, John Smith and John Powell, Esq., the subject of this sketch.

John Powell, Esq., was born in Charlestown, Mass., Mar. 7, 1669 (see page 344.) He married Ann Dummer, a daughter of Lieut-Governor William Dummer (see page 603), and was for a few years his private secretary. When he was appointed on the Committee, he was a merchant in Boston, and its first meeting was held at his dwelling-house, in 1723. After examining all the old records and other documents then extant, the Committee, in 1727, met at the inn of James Parker, in North Yarmouth, and carefully investigated all these claims, and made a division of one hundred home-lots, also a much larger lot in a remote part of the town to those who were, or who desired to be, actual settlers.

Those who could identify their old possessions were established in them; others drew theirs by lot. Mr. Powell entered two claims, though to make them valid each claim must soon be occupied. Upon one of these, afterwards known as the Barr and then the Martin farm,—now St. Clair & Russell,—he soon settled, and enjoyed the fruits of beautiful fields and the comforts of an elegant home.

The Committee intrusted Mr. Powell with plenipotential power to manage all the business for the adjustment of claims, and the settlers were instructed to follow his advice, to which they did not object when it favored their own wishes; but, as was natural, complained when it thwarted them. In 1733 the town was again incorporated, the Committee was discharged from its duties, and the municipality managed its future conveyances.

Not every man, of his education, business and position in society, would have voluntarily abandoned a city home, and encountered the privations of a new settlement, though the public good required it. When it was known in Falmouth (now Portland) that he contemplated a removal to these parts, the authorities of the town offered him a lot on the "neck" and the privilege of citizenship, to induce him to settle there, but he chose to plant himself in North Yarmouth.

After the town was incorporated, the people evidently regarded him highly, and frequently elected him to important offices. He was among the first to hold a commission as Justice of the Peace in York County, then including all the District of Maine.

As a business man he was enterprising and public-spirited. Before 1730, he put a sawmill in operation at Felt's Falls, upon a brook which flowed across his lot (Nos. 49 and 70, see pp. 628, 629, also plan, p. 482), and afterwards started the manufacture of linen, in which, he stated, that he had expended £1500. He also became owner of a large amount of land. He was an active

member of the parish, but not of the church; but secured the appreciation of Rev. Thomas Smith, of Falmouth, who often exchanged calls and visits with him.

He constructed a tomb in the old burying-ground—probably the first in town—in which his, and the sacred ashes of others, slumber, as their last resting-place. He departed from this life, Oct. 1, 1742, aged 73, and his son, Jeremiah Powell, succeeded to his honors and estate.

Hon. Jeremiah Powell, only son of John Powell, Esq., was born June 3, 1720. From the time of his father's death, he occupied the beautiful home which he had left, and the farm, equally interesting, and soon secured a greater degree of popularity and influence than his honored father had possessed. Both Parsons Smith and Deane, of Falmouth, cultivated an intimate acquaintance with him; and the former, after Col. Powell's death, records this commendation in his Journal: "He was a man of great respectability and influence," and proceeds to enumerate the various offices which he had held, and which will be mentioned as we proceed. These will show that Parson Smith's estimate of him was not exaggerated, for though he lived in the trying times of Indian wars, and also through the vexing struggles of the Revolution, he held more and higher offices in town, county and State, than any of those distinguished men whose public career exalts and adorns the early history of North Yarmouth.

John Powell, Esq., had invested largely in wild lands, and as the settlement increased, sold out lots, bringing his name out frequently in the early conveyances. His son completed these sales, pushed on the milling business already established, and in 1756 started iron-works near Gooch's Falls, in company with Theophilus Byram and others, the town having granted him the mill-privilege and forty acres of land as an inducement.

In 1759, when the Colonies were extensively engaged in the conquest of Canada, a direct tax was levied. Jeremiah Powell stands upon the list for £2, 15, among the highest, denoting that his estate was one of the largest of that day.

Of his religious character but little can now be ascertained. In early manhood he became a member of the First Church, (No. 129, Dec. 16, 1744), and its records show that he was more than a merely nominal member. He was often called to preside over its meetings; to act upon important committees; to superintend the enlargement of the old meeting-house and the sale of its additional pews.

Of his private life, still less is known. Not till a late period did he enter upon the state matrimonial. Sept. 5, 1768, he was married to Miss Sarah Bromfield (see pp. 10, 344, 603, 604, 1110), who was born in Boston, Apr. 20, 1732. They had no children, and it does not appear that he ever had any brothers or

sisters [error: see p. 1111]; but he displayed a fondness for the young, often directing his colored coachman to take the children of families that he called upon, out to ride, while he was making his visit.

Rev. Mr. Deane mentions that, in 1764, he was present with a select party at Mr. Joshua Turner's, Col. Powell of North Yarmouth being one of the company. It is remembered that he lived in affluent and elegant style; keeping, as was fashionable in that day among the higher class, a colored groom and coachman.

His public life is more extensively recorded. When but twenty-four years of age, soon after the death of his honored father, he was commissioned by Gov. Shirley as a Justice of the Peace for York County. The next year (1745) he was elected to represent the town in the Colonial Assembly; and to this position he was reelected sixteen times, previous to 1766. Another of his public acts is quite significant. In 1756, he and others petitioned the colonial authorities to secure the release of certain captives who had been carried to Canada by the Indians. Daniel Mitchell, of this town, and probably others, were then in captivity there.

In 1762, he was appointed Lieutenant-Colonel,—subaltern to Colonel Samuel Waldo,—and, though it does not appear that he figured much in military affairs, he was usually called "Colonel," for the military honors overrode those of higher civil preferment.

After the incorporation of Cumberland County, and upon the retirement of Judge Minot from the bench, Col. Powell, in 1763, was appointed a Justice of the Court of Common Pleas; and was soon made Chief Justice. This position he retained with honor to himself and to the satisfaction of the people, for eighteen years,—till 1781, covering nearly all of the transition from colonies to states, from monarchy to republicanism.

He also passed from the Colonial Assembly to the Provincial Council, having a seat in that body from 1766 onward for the next twelve years. His public career was not yet ended. After Massachusetts adopted the State constitution, he was elected to a seat in the Senate, and was made the first President of that body, and up to the time of his death was a Senator.

That he was highly appreciated by all classes is evident from the fact that Governor Gage, when the Revolution was breaking out, offered him a place in his Council, hoping to secure him on the side of royalty. The influence of his neighbors set against it, and the offer was refused; he lived and died a patriotic citizen of North Yarmouth..

We obtain a glimpse of his preciseness in official duties, and also of his boldness in reproving the delinquent, from an entry in Rev. Mr. Deane's Journal. At the term of court held in April, 1765, soon after Mr. Deane's settlement as colleague with Rev. Thomas Smith, neither of those clergymen came in to open the

court with prayer, as was usual. It was also the custom for the judges, lawyers and clergymen, on the first day of the term, to dine together. On this occasion Mr. Deane presented himself at the dinner-table, though he left on record that "he wished he had not gone." For Judge Powell did not shrink from reproving him sharply. "It is a hard case," said he, "when there are two of you in town, we can not have one. I will bring my own minister, if I can get nobody here to pray with us. The minister can hear the bell, and he knows when he is wanted."

At the age of sixty-four, Sept. 18, 1784, Col. Powell departed from this earth. His wife survived till Mar. —, 1806. As their lifeless forms were committed to the Powell tomb, no marble monuments chronicle their names or the dates of their deaths.

As but a small part of the capacious Powell tomb was likely to be occupied by the family, Col. Powell before his death consigned the remainder of it to Rev. Nicholas Loring and family; and in this sepulchre their sacred dust sleeps "the last dreamless sleep."

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THE SHEPLEY PAPERS.

The following items from the papers of Rev. David Shepley, formerly pastor of the First Church, North Yarmouth, have been furnished by Mr. William M. Sargent, of Portland.

Province of the Massachusetts Bay. Permit the sloop "Friendship," Samuel Seabury, bound for Duxbury, to pass the Castle. Nov. 15, 1715. Signed by William Tailer, Lieut. Gov.

Joseph Fellows died intestate, and his widow and heirs sign a bond June 22, 1767, viz: Mary, widow; Samuel, son; Eleanor Bradbury (wife of Benjamin) and Susanna Fellows, daughters.

Esther Penley, wife of Joseph, was administratrix of estate of Joshua Johnston, 1791.

Judah Chandler, Oct. 21, 1796, aged 76 last August, deposes that when he was about nine years old, he moved with his father from Duxbury to North Yarmouth. About thirty years ago he (Judah) moved eastward and lived about nine years, then returned to North Yarmouth.

Jan. 9, 1796, Samuel Merrill, of New-Gloucester, aged 84 last July, deposes that 58 years ago last June he removed with his

family from Salisbury to North Yarmouth and lived there about six years; he then returned to Salisbury and lived there eight years and then moved back to North Yarmouth. He was a constable in North Yarmouth.

Rebecca Sanborn now (1796) wife of John Everton of North Yarmouth, only child of Benjamin Sanborn and Rebecca who was a daughter of Andrew Tuck.

Paul Prince, aged 79 (probably 1796), testifies that he saw Daniel James, Jr., of Weybridge, Vermont, schoolmaster, by virtue of a power of attorney from the heirs of Nathaniel Enms, take possession of a piece of land [see pp. 625, 1061.]

Solomon Dunbar, 1784, of Newcastle, Lincoln County, sells rights that come to him by his brother, Joshua Dunbar.

William Ingersoll, wife Sarah, daughter of Capt. Jas. Parker, deeds land, 1746, to Benjamin Parker.

Sept. 4, 1785, Mary Hooper, spinster, of Lewiston, sells to Benjamin Parker, the second wall pew on the right hand of the front door of the church, originally Peter Walton's.

Joseph Harris, Thomas Harris and Wigglesworth Sweetser [see No. 16, p. 1140, who m., 1st, Ursula Coles, and, 2d, Mary Clark], petition, May 10, 1728, as interested in the lot which was once owned by John Harris.

John Stearns, of Worcester, 1728, petitions for and obtains leave to sell his lot to Moses Rice of Worcester.

Aug. 25, 1727, William Bond and Jonathan Watson obtain leave to sell their lots, Nos. 10 and 20, to Phineas Jones

Jan. 10, 1731, the following persons petition the General Court and call themselves "non-resident proprietors": John Powell, John Smith, Job Lewis, Byfield Lyde, John Buttolph, John Hill, Thomas Hill, William Goodwin and Ephraim Fenno.

Phineas Jones and Thomas Stearns were from Worcester originally.

Apr. 2, 1728, Andrew McFaden petitions for leave to sell lot 78 to Barnabas Seabury. This was endorsed by the Committee, "The grant in the Book is made to James Mackfaden; the Committee know nothing of Andrew Mackfaden having a lot at No. Yarmouth.

Isaac Pope, from Dartmouth, 1728. Bartholomew Flagg, of Boston, blacksmith, 1727, asks leave to sell his lot 99 to Matthias Rice, which is disallowed.

July 26, 1727, the Committee granted liberty to these persons to sell their lots to the following persons: No. 3, Samuel Smith, to John and Thomas Hill. 26, Heirs of Amos Stevens, to John Smith. 11, John Smith, Jr., to John and Thomas Hill. 10,

William Bond, to Phineas Jones. 20, Jonathan Watson, to Phineas Jones. 42, Tobias Oakman, to John Smith. 101, 5, J. Pitson to exchange with Thomas Crafts. 28, Jno. Stearns, to Edw. King alias Rice. 95, Col. Wm. Dudley to Geo. Monk.

No. 51, Joseph Maylem, to Jno. Powell. 53, Danl. Watts, to John Powell. 20, Phineas Jones, to Rev. Samuel Seabury. 10, Phineas Jones, to Robt. Davis and Jos. Andros. 7, Ephraim Crafts to Geo. Monk. 45, Heirs of Jno. Harris to Jno. Dabney. 50, Henry Deering, to Jno. Powell. 66, 42, Abiah Wadsworth to exchange with John Smith.

"In June the 12 1731 then my father Gilbert Winslow he desesed. In May the 15 1736 then my brother Benjamin Winslow desesed."

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Phineas Jones died Nov. 1. 1743, aged 39, as appears by his gravestone in Portland.

Benjamin Morgaridge, son of John and Mary, was born Mar. 16, 1719, at Kittery, Maine, and died at North Yarmouth, Mar. 23, 1806. He married, Jan. 2, 1755 [p. 659], Sarah Mitchell, [b. Feb. 8, 1734; d. Oct. 19, 1805], daughter of Solomon and Mary [Mitchell] Mitchell [of North Yarmouth] also from Kittery. He was bred a ship carpenter. His house was on the bay road, toward Portland, and not far from the Falmouth line. He went to Louisburg in Capt. William Cutter's company as a subaltern. He came to North Yarmouth the day before Mr. [Philip] Greely was killed by the Indians [Aug. 9, 1746.]

[See p. 344. The children of Benjamin and Sarah (Mitchell) Morgaridge were, William, bap. Mar. 7, 1756 (p. 665); Sarah, bap. May 13, 1759 (p. 667); John, bap. Apr. 7, 1765 (p. 716); Sarah, bap. Oct. 31, 1773 (p. 802), m. David Jordan (see Oct. 2, 1814, p. 1019, where their children are given), she was No. 620, 1st Ch.]

Gilbert Winslow [No. 5, p. 1103], house-carpenter, came from Marshfield. He helped build the meeting-house. He married Patience Seabury [No. 30, p. 374, and No. 23, p. 1104] daughter of Samuel Seabury, and sister of Barnabas Seabury the first town clerk. [Gilbert] Winslow acted as physician after Dr. Ammi R. Cutter went to Louisburg.

The next physician was Dr. John Bartlett, from Lebanon, Ct. He married [Susanna, b. July 27, 1731] a sister of Deacon John Southworth. He was not in town more than four or five years, and returned to his native place [before 1760.]

Dr. William Chase [see p. 988] was a physician, and used to live where Dea. John Hayes lives. He removed to Falmouth, and died there.

Dr. [Edward] Russell [No. 1, p. 355] was the next, coming in in 176-. He died Apr. 19, 1785.

Dr. [David] Jones [see p. 1157] was a physician and surgeon in the army of the Revolution. He was a native of Abington, Mass.

Dr. Ammi R. Mitchell [No. 28, p. 249], son of Hon. David Mitchell, studied medicine with Dr. Ammi R. Cutter, of Portsmouth, N. H.

Dr. Daniel Clark [see p. 1061] came to town in the spring of 1804, and continued till 1820, when he removed to Thomaston, Me. He came from Conn.

Dr. Gad Hitchcock [No. 1, p. 1155], son of Dr. Gad Hitchcock of Abington, Mass., and grandson of Gad Hitchcock, S.T.D. He married a daughter of Gridley Thaxter of Abington, granddaughter of Major-General Benjamin Lincoln.

Dr. [Amos] Osgood [No 183, p. 1084], a native of Fryeburg, came in 1820, and settled at Walnut Hill.

Dr. William Parsons [see p. 826] came from Gloucester, Cape Ann, in October, 1802. He died in March, 1811.

Col. Samuel Brown, of Salem, drew lot 95. He was buried at Salem, June 21, 1731. He left three sons, Samuel, William and Benjamin. He left a large personal and real estate. He filled many offices; was selectman, was of the Council, was Justice of the general sessions of the Court of Common Pleas.

William Bond, of Boston. carpenter. drew lot 10. He sold out to Phineas Jones.

Thomas Larrabee, of Scarborough, Christopher Mitchell and wife Ellenor, of Falmouth, Hannah Larrabee, of Scarborough, and Jane Larrabee, of Falmouth, sell as heirs of Thos. Larrabee [pp. 443, 625] one-half of lot 32, June 9, 1731.

Jonathan Watson, of Medford, carpenter, original owner of lot 20, sells it Sept. 14, 1727.

Nathaniel Brewer [see pp. 796, 909], of Roxbury, yeoman, original owner of lot 84, July 1, 1728. His wife Elizabeth, and son Nathaniel, yeoman, and daughter Dorothy Williams, widow, only heirs.

Freeport incorporated, Feb. 14, 1789. N. W. C. Society, June 26, 1794; additional act. June 23, 1795. N. Y. & Freeport Baptist Society, June 20, 1797. Second Territorial Parish, Mar. 5, 1806. Pownal incorporated, Mar. 3, 1808. Methodist Society in Durham and Pownal, Mar. 1, 1810. First Universalist Society in Freeport, Mar. 5, 1810.

The first double sawmill at the upper falls built in 1795 by S. Pratt, O. Byram, T. C. Russell and ——— Russell.

John Royall's second wife was Elizabeth Dod, granddaughter of Nicholas Davis of York. His sisters were Mary and Mehitable.

John York signs a deed June 21, 1680, in York, where he then

dwelt, for land in North Yarmouth.

John Smith, who figures so largely in town affairs and landed transactions, was a brother of Rev. Thomas Smith of Falmouth.

Tobias Oakman was a son of of Samuel Oakman and the widow of William Kilson of Scarborough. Between the first and second wars he lived a few years at Falmouth, and then removed to Marshfield, where he died

June, 1833. Rebecca Pratt [No. 50, pp. 1097, 1098] aged 80 last April, daughter of Edmund and Mercy Chandler [No. 43, p. 1097], born where Reuben Chandler lives, says: Edmund Chandler, the original owner of lot 81, came from Duxbury, and was my grandfather, and was also grandfather of the first Peleg Chandler, of New Gloucester. Joseph Chandler, the boy who was taken by Indians, was my brother. My brother Joseph [No. 45, p. 1097] died in Hispaniola in 1763.

I suppose Perez Bradford belonged to Duxbury. I have heard that Samuel Fisher came from that town, also Cornelius Soule, also Southworth. Heard my father speak of Dr. Wadsworth of Duxbury. I think Samuel [John?] White came from Weymouth; he married Parson Loring's sister. Have heard my Uncle Judah say that Dea. White told him where he lived in Weymouth.

The Fogg family came from Hampton. My mother was a Fogg, daughter of Benoni Fogg by his first wife. My grandmother Fogg's maiden name was Abigail Cass, of Hampton.

I think I have heard that old Mr. Drinkwater came from Stonington. His wife was a Latham, and had relations in Carolina.

Mrs. Cutter was Dorothy Bradbury, sister of Moses. Colonel Mitchell's wife was a Loring, but not a sister of Parson Loring.

Issacher Winslow [No. 3, p. 1103], brother of Gilbert, was killed by the stone between Loring's and Powell's. He was the father of "Chiz Gilbert," so called. They were making a stone sluiceway.

I remember that Master Wiswall kept a shop at Mrs. Cutter's. He was the first person that I remember who kept goods to sell.

Capt. Sykes was an Englishman and an army officer. He came before I was ten years old.

Dr. Russell used to preach in New Gloucester, and sometimes exchanged with Mr. Brooks. I have heard him preach a number of times.

I have heard there was a Doctor Raynes in town about fifteen years before I was born.

My mother and my aunts [Abigail] Bradbury [see No. 29, p. 720] and [Sarah] Thoits [wife of Jonathan] had ten children each.

Capt. Joseph Drinkwater, born Aug. —, 1736 [No. 3, p. 386.] John Hamilton. aged eighty-six in 1819.

Joseph Chandler [No. 45, p. 1097], son of Edmund and Mercy, born in North Yarmouth, Feb. 11, 1739. Solomon Mitchell, born in Kittery, Sept. 5, 1739; Daniel Mitchell, born in North Yarmouth, June 11, 1744; sons of Benjamin and Mehitabel [Bragdon] Mitchell. These three boys were captured by the Indians, in May, 1751, while driving cows [see p. 1110.] Chandler soon returned. Solomon was sold to a Frenchman, and afterwards returned home. Daniel was with the Indians ten years and ten months.

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THE HARRIS FAMILY.

1 Joseph Harris (see pp. 344, 441, 625, 628, 742, 215, 216, 224, 1000, 796), a weaver, born at Charlestown, Mass., Nov. 17, 1665, was admitted to the church Apr. 4, 1714. He was a son of John and Amy (Hills) Harris, who was a settler in North Yarmouth in February, 1685, and was one of the Trustees of the town, and was captured by the Indians in September, 1688, when Capt. Walter Gendall was killed (see pp. 46, 48, Shepley's 1st Ch. Cat.) Joseph Harris married, about 1688,—

2 Naomi Stevens, who died Dec. 16, 1710, aged 55. He married, 2d, Apr. 16, 1724 (p. 441),—

3 Rebecca Kettell, daughter of Samuel and Hannah (Kidder) Kettell.

Residence: Charlestown; North Yarmouth; Boston (pp. 215, 216, 224, 441, 625.)

Children:

HARRIS.

4 Joseph; b. Aug. 4, 1689; (see p. 628, lot 44); (see pp. 47, 48, Shepley.)

5 Jonathan; b. Dec. 2, 1690.

(6) 6 Amos; b. Aug. 19, 1693; d. Apr. 18, 1776.

(6) Amos Harris (44, 1st Ch., May 21, 1732), (see pp. 625, 686), married, Nov. 8, 1722,—

7 Hannah Larrabee (45, 1st Ch.), b. May 14, 1707, owned covenant to church in Charlestown, July 7, 1723; daughter of Stephen and Margaret Larrabee.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Weaver.

Children:

HARRIS.

(18) 8 Amos; b. Aug. 4, (bap. 11,) 1723; d. Apr. 5, 1814.

9 Hannah; 118, 1st Ch., Dec. 1742; b. Sept. 11, 1727; d. Mar. 8, 1796; m. Jan. 15, 1747 (pp. 654, 659), Benjamin Prince (see pp. 571, 726, for family.)

10 Mary; b. Oct. 8, 1729; 104, 1st Ch., July 18, 1742, dis. to ch. in Freeport, Dec. 13, 1789; m. Bartholomew Read. Feb. 2, 1748 (pp. 654, 660.)

(27) 11 William; b. Nov. 7, 1731; bap. Sept. 26, (p. 491.)

12 John; b. Aug. 28, 1733.

13 Naomi; b. Nov. 23, 1735; d. Oct. 29, (30?), 1738, aged 2 yrs. 10 mos. 3 days (pp. 656, 1106.)

14 Margaret; b. Mar. 18, 1738 (bap. 19, p. 492); 221, 1st Ch.; m. Benjamin Merrill.

(30) 15 Stephen Larrabee; bap. June 1, 1740 (p. 493); d. May 12, 1805.

16 Rachel; b. Sept. 9, 1743 (bap. 13, p. 614); d. Oct. 18, 1748 (pp. 656, 1037, 1107.)

17 Sarah; b. Aug. 19, 1748.

18 Rachel; b. Sept. 3, 1750.

(8) Amos Harris married, Oct. 8, 1747 (pp. 653, 659),—

19 Mary Baker; daughter of Saml. and Susanna (Mitchell) Baker; b. Aug. 18, 1727; bap. May 23, 1731 (p. 490.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: Soldier in Revolutionary War.

Children:

HARRIS.

20 Silva; bap. Aug. 21, 1748 (p. 616.)

21 Rachel; bap. July 29, 1750 (p. 617.)

22 Susanna; bap. Oct. 26, 1755 (p. 664.)

23 Ozni; bap. June 23, 1765 (p. 716.)

24 Anna; bap. July 21, 1765 (p. 716.)

25 Elizabeth; bap. do.

26 Josiah; bap. July 10, 1768 (p. 749.)

27 Elizabeth; bap. Oct. 7, 1770 (p. 750.)

(11) William Harris married, Nov. 19, 1755 (p. 659),

28 Mary Bradbury; b. Sept. 11, 1738; daughter of Moses and Abigail (Fogg) Bradbury (see No. 31, p. 721.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: ———.

Children:

HARRIS.

29 Amos; b. Jan. 28, 1757 (bap. May 22, p. 665)

30 John; bap. Feb. 5, 1759 (p. 666.)

(15) Stephen Larrabee Harris (234, 508, 1st Ch., July 7, 1765, dis. to ch. in Cumberland, June 5, 1796), married,—

31 Lydia Tuttle, (235, 509, 1st Ch., excom. Sept. 24, '10.)

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : _____.

Children :

HARRIS.

- 32 Anna ; bap. July 21, 1765 (p. 716.)
- 33 Elizabeth ; bap. do.
- 34 Huldah ; bap. May 4, 1766 (p. 717.)
- 35 Lydia ; bap. Jan. 21, 1770 (p. 750.)
- 36 Asenath ; bap. Apr. 5, 1772 (p. 752.)
- 37 Elizabeth ; bap. Apr. 10, 1774 (p. 803.)
- 38 Hannah Larrabee ; bap. May 19, 1776 (p. 805.)
- 39 Rachel ; bap. July 19, 1778 (p. 858.)
- 40 Stephen ; bap. Nov. 7, 1780 (p. 860.)
- 41 Leatherby ; bap. do. (Nos. 40 and 41, twins.)
- 42 William ; bap. Sept. 26, 1784 (p. 902.)

Amos Harris, 98 1st Ch., May 16, 1742 ; d. Feb. 10, 1783, aged 86.

Lydia, daughter of Huldah Harris, baptised May 9, 1793 (p. 944.)

Huldah Harris, 465 1st Ch., July 1, 1792, dis. to ch. in Cumberland, Sept. 24, 1794 ; m. Aaron Allen.

Eliza Harris married, Dec. 28, 1826, William Soule, who was born in 1802 (p. 973.) (H9N9)

THE BYRAM FAMILY.

1 Nicholas Byram (see p. 346), who died in 1688, was a son of an English gentleman of the County of Kent, England, who removed to Ireland about the time Nicholas was born. His father sent Nicholas, when he was sixteen years old, to visit his friends in England, but the man who had charge of him robbed him and sent him to the West Indies, where he was sold to service to pay his passage. When his term expired, he went to New England, and settled at Weymouth, Mass. He married,—

2 Susanna Shaw, of Dedham, who died in 1698, daughter of Abraham Shaw.

Children :

BYRAM.

(8) 3 Nicholas ; d. 1727.

4 Abigail ; m. Thomas Whitman, 1656.

5 Deliverance ; m. John Porter, 1660.

6 Experience ; m. John Wallis.

7 Susanna ; m. Samuel Edson.

8 Mary ; m. Samuel Leach.

(3) Capt. Nicholas Byram (see p. 346), married, 1676,—

9 Mary Edson, who died 1727, daughter of Samuel.

Children : BYRAM.

10 Bethiah ; b. 1678.

11 Margaret ; b. 1680.

12 Mehitable ; b. 1683 ; m. Elisha Allen.

13 (Son) ; b. 1685 ; d. without issue.

(19) 14 Nicholas ; b. 1687.

15 Mary ; b. 1690 ; m. Edward Howard.

16 Ebenezer ; b. 1692.

17 Susanna ; b. 1695 ; m. Capt. Jonathan Bass.

(30) 18 Josiah ; b. 1698.

19 Joseph ; b. 1701.

(14) Nicholas Byram (see p. 346) married, 1708,—

20 Ann Snell, daughter of Thomas.

Children : BYRAM.

21 Bethiah ; b. 1709.

22 Nicholas ; b. 1711.

23 Ann ; b. 1712 ; m., 1st, Pettingill ; m. 2d, Kingman.

24 Thomas ; b. 1714 d. without issue.

25 Jesse ; b. 1716.

26 Mary ; b. 1718 ; m. Thomas Carr.

27 Obin ; b. 1720 ; d. without issue.

28 Benjamin ; b. 1721 ; do.

29 Paul ; b. 1723 ; do.

30 George.

(18) Josiah Byram (see p. 346) married, 1720,—

31 Hannah Rickard, of Plympton, who died in 1771, aged 78. They moved to New Jersey.

Children : BYRAM.

32 Susanna ; b. 1721 ; m. Capt. John Bass, Jr., 1741.

33 Josiah ; b. 1723 ; d. young

(36) 34 Theophilus ; b. 1725.

35 Mehitable ; b. 1730 ; m. Daniel Beal, 1750.

36 Rebecca ; b. 1732 ; m. Samuel Bowditch.

(34) Theophilus Byram married, 1749,—

37 Elizabeth (Blackman) Beal, widow of Samuel Beal.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine, about 1756.

Occupation : Iron-worker (see p. 1165.)

Children :

BYRAM.

- 38 Josiah ; b. 1750.
 (44) 39 Oliver ; b. 1751 ; d. Dec. 13, 1841, aged 89 yrs. 7 mos.
 (see pp. 104, 214, 907, 1170.)
 40 David ; b. 1753 ; see p. 907.
 41 James ; b. 1756.
 42 Melzar ; b. 1759.
 43 Susanna.
 44 Sylvia ; bap. Nov. 1, 1761 (pp. 714, 907)

(39) Oliver Byram (see pp. 2, 10, 73, 346, 431, 622, 907),
 married,—

45 Elizabeth Moxcey, who died Mar. —, 1834 (p. 165.)

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : Millman (p. 1170.)

Children :

BYRAM.

- (52) 46 Jonathan.
 47 James.
 (61) 48 Henry ; b. Aug. 15, 1780 ; d. Feb. 16, 1848.
 49 Reuben ; a mason (pp. 13, 45, 74, 234, 559, 757, 951) ;
 m. Lois Swazey ; dau. Louisa m., Apr. 11, 1877, Doctor G. P.
 Thompson, of Yarmouth, who d. Oct. 30, 1880, aged 84 yrs. 4
 mos. 5 days ; son Dennis, a mason, m. Huldah, dau. of Ammi M.
 Loring (272, p. 932), (see p. 757.)
 50 Enos ; bur. Aug. 1, 1867, aged 82 yrs. (p. 416) ; (see
 pp. 13, 73, 235, 433, 546, 622, 951) ; son Rev. Bohan P. Byram
 (p. 1129.)
 51 Oliver.
 52 Elizabeth ; m. Zadoc Humphrey, see No. 151-7, p. 840,
 for her family in full ; she was b. Nov. 2, 1795, d. June 1, 1870 ;
 see p. 700.

(46) Jonathan Byram (see Nos. 218-226, p. 401) married,
 53 Susanna Drinkwater ; b. Nov. 5, 1782 ; No. 36, p. 388 ;
 dau. of John and Susanna (Brown) Drinkwater.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : ———.

Children :

BYRAM.

- 54 Erastus ; m. Mary Rice.
 55 Jane ; m. Col. ——— Carleton.
 56 Mariam Drinkwater ; m. Jeremiah Buxton, b. Sept. 19,
 1799 ; for family see Nos. 61-65, p. 1150.
 57 Sabrina ; m. Sidney Glass.
 58 Sylvanus Boardman ; m. Sarah H. Carleton.
 59 Rotheus M. ; m. Augusta O. Porter ; res. Chelsea,
 Mass. ; Universalist clergyman ; has dau. Ada and son Rotheus.
 60 Susan ; bur. Feb. 11, 1853, aged 32, (p. 337) ; m. Capt.

Miles Standish York, of Yarmouth; had ch. Milton, Henry Ashland and Susan Jane; see also pp. 258, 335, 337, 754, 755, 776.
61 Sarah; m. Leroy Davis, No. 202, p. 400.

(48) Henry Byram (see p. 605) married, Jan. 10, 1805,—

62 Elizabeth Ricker, daughter of Jabez and Mary (Wentworth) Ricker, born June 24, 1781.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: ———.

Children: BYRAM.

63 Alford Richardson; b. Jan. 13, 1806; d. Mar. 22, '10.

64 Henry Oliver; b. Feb. 6, 1808; res. Eastport, Maine: m., Oct. 25, 1832, Lucretia R. Loring, (No. 122, p. 392, also see No. 39, p. 882), No. 899, 1st Ch., Jan. 8, 1832, dis. to 3d Ch. Portland, Oct. 22, 1834, dau. of William and Anna (Drinkwater) Loring; had one son, who d. young.

65 Delano: b. Sept. 29, 1809; d. 1834.

66 Alford Richardson; b. Oct. 30, 1811; m. Sept., —, 1840, Ann Hatch, of Eastport, Maine.

67 Jabez Ricker; b. Sept. 11, 1813.

68 James Ricker; b. Sept. 8, 1818.

69 William Pottle; b. Oct. 8, 1850; d. Nov. 16, 1820.

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GENEALOGICAL NOTES.

(Continued from page 1162.)

GRANT.—1 Abraham Grant, b. Jan. 2, 1702, at Newbury, son of John and Sarah, married,—

2 Elizabeth ———.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine

Children: GRANT.

(6) 3 Abraham; b. July 16, 1728.

4 John; b. Aug. 15, 1736; bap. Oct. 16, 1737 (p. 492.)

5 Richard; b. July 9, 1741 (bap. Oct. 11, p. 613.)

6 Samuel; b. Sept. 1, 1743.

(3) Abraham Grant, Jr., m., Sept. 5, 1748 (pp. 653, 658),—

7 Susanna Day; No. 3, p. 989; b. Jan. 8, 1726, in Lynn; d. Nov. 8, 1778; 190, 1st Ch., Apr. 25, 1756.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children : GRANT.

- 8 Elizabeth ; b. Dec. 29, 1749.
- 9 Ruth ; b. Oct. 11, 1751 bap. ; June 28, 1752 (p. 662.)
- 10 Susanna ; b. May 27, 1754.
- 11 Mary ; bap. June 1, 1760 (p. 667.)
- 12 Abraham ; bap. July 25, 1773 (p. 802.)

MOORE.—1 Samuel Moore married, Sept. 29, 1760 (p. 659)—

2 Margaret Welsh ; b. Feb. 26, 1742 ; daughter of Benjamin Welsh, Junior.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children : MOORE.

- 3 Charlotte ; bap. Feb. 23, 1766 (p. 717.)
- 4 Wyatt ; bap. July 5, 1767 (p. 718.)
- 5 Jeremiah ; bap. do. ; (Nos. 4 and 5, twins.)

Tobias Moore, 406, 1st Ch., Sept. 4, 1791, dis., Nov. 2, 1794, to ch. in Cumberland ; afterwards of Chesterville.

MANN.—1 John Mann, of Flying Point, married, Apr. 23, 1760 (pp. 396, 659),—

2 Leah Mann.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children : MANN.

- 3 Mary ; bap. May 6, 1759 (p. 667.)
- 4 Joseph ; bap. Apr. 12, 1761 (p. 714.)
- 5 Mary ; bap. May 3, 1761 (p. 714.)
- 6 John ; bap. Aug. 22, 1764 (p. 715.)
- 7 James ; bap. Jan. 14, 1766 (p. 716.)
- 8 Lydia ; bap. Feb. 7, 1767 (p. 717.)
- 9 Elizabeth ; bap. May 6, 1770 (p. 750.)

1 Joseph Mann married, Oct. 12, 1772 (p. 481).—

2 Susanna (Bangs) Weare, widow of Elijah Weare (41) p. 480. She was No. 233, 1st Ch., May 5, 1765, and removed about 1800.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children : MANN.

3 Content Brown ; bap. July 30, 1775 "on account of its grandmother Brown" (p. 804.)

1 Gideon Mann purchased a pew in 1747 (p. 464.) He was No. 208, 1st Ch., 1761, and died before 1793. He married,—

2 ————. No. 209, 1st Ch.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children : MANN.

- 3 Leah ; bap. Nov. 1, 1741 (p. 613.)
- 4 Elizabeth ; bap. do.
- 5 Joseph ; bap. do.

Dorothy Mann m. Dennison Soule, of Pownal, who was b. May 15, 1800 (see No. 88, p. 972.)

Margaret Mann, 156 1st Ch., May 29, 1748.

John Mann, 218 1st Ch., dis. to ch. in Freeport, Dec. 13, 1789.

Elizabeth Mann, 246 1st Ch., June 15, 1766, m. John Hewey (see p. 1126), 245 1st Ch., who lived in Brunswick.

John Mann, of Freeport, m., Apr. 30, 1795, Mehitable Weare, dau. of Elijah and Susanna (Bangs) Weare, b. May 9, 1764 (No. 53, p. 481.)

Margaret Mann, int. of m. Sept. 4, 1748, with John Williams (p. 654); m. Sept. 28, 1748 (p. 660.)

MILLETT.—1 David Millett married,—

2 Anna ———.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children: MILLETT.

3 David; b. Nov. 9, 1753.

4 John; b. Nov. 16, 1755.

5 Thomas; bap. Feb. 4, 1761 (New Gloucester) (p. 713.)

Moses Millett, son of John, bap. July 4, 1793 (p. 944.)

1 Thomas Millett, of Unity, Me., married,—

2 Hannah Prince, No. 315, pp. 847, 849, dau. of Sylvanus and Elizabeth (Johnson) Prince. She was bap Oct. 27, 1754 (p. 664.)

Children: MILLETT.

3 David.

4 Betsey; m. ——— Sanborn.

5 Ann; m. ——— Worthley.

McKIEF.—1 Cornelius McKief married,—

2 Judith ———.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children: MC'KIEF.

3 Daniel; b. Oct. 13, 1744.

4 Thomas; b. Aug. 14, 1745.

5 Judith; b. Oct. 5, 1748.

6 William; b. Jan. 5, 1754.

MOULTON.—1 Stephen Moulton (272, 1st Ch.), m., Sept. 5, 1749 (pp. 654, 659),—

2 Elizabeth Stevens (Stephens?) (271, 1st Ch., Sept. 1, 1771); d. Dec. 15, 1820, aged 91.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : ———.

Children :

MOULTON.

- 3 Huldah ; b. Jan. 11, 1749 ; bap. Apr. 15, 1750 (p. 617.)
- 4 Elizabeth ; b. May 13, 1752 (bap. July 28, p. 662.)
- 5 Judith ; b. June 30, 1754 (bap. July 28, p. 664.)
- 6 Stephen ; b. Jan. 29, 1757 (bap. Mar. 20, p. 665.)
- 7 Ruth ; b. Apr. 10, 1759 (bap. May 20, p. 667.)
- 8 Sarah ; bap. Apr. 12, 1761 (p. 714.)
- 9 Mary ; bap. July 21, 1765 (p. 716.)
- (11) 10 Jonathan ; bap. June 5, 1768 (p. 748) ; d. June 16, 1830, aged 63.
- 11 Emery ; bap. Feb. 11, 1770 (p. 750.)

(10) Jonathan Moulton (493, 1st Ch., Sept. 8, 1793, dis. to Chapel Ch., Sept. 16, 1820, rec'd back (768) Dec. 15, 1826) ; he married,—

12 Bethiah Blanchard, daughter of Nathaniel and Bethiah (Mitchell) Blanchard, bap. May 29, 1774 (p. 803) ; No. 505, 1st Ch. ; m., 2d, Dea. Daniel Waterman ; she is No. 17, p. 1090.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : ———.

Children :

MOULTON.

- (18) 13 Stephen ; bap. Sept. 29, 1793 (p. 944.)
- (16) 14 Levi Hayes ; bap. May 4, 1794 (p. 945.)
- 15 Elizabeth ; bap. Feb. 11, 1793 (p. 980) ; 847, 1st Ch., July 3, 1839 ; m. George Lewis, No. 12, p. 1159.
- 16 Emery ; bap. May 1, 1803 (p. 983.)

(14) Levi Hayes Moulton, 889 1st Ch., Dec. 4, 1831, dis. 1833 to ch. in Poland, married,—

17 Charlotte Welsh, 721 1st Ch.

Residence : North Yarmouth and Poland, Maine.

Occupation : ———.

Children :

MOULTON.

- 18 Levi Evans ; bap. Sept. 19, 1828 (p. 1055.)

(13) Stephen Moulton married,—

19 Mehitable Worthley ; 634, 1st Ch., Aug. 20, 1815, dis. to Chapel Ch., Sept. 16, 1820.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : ———.

Children :

MOULTON.

- 20 Edward ; bap. May —, 1818 (p. 1020.)

Capt. Jeremiah Moulton, Nov. 24, 1706, was granted lot 14 (p. 596.) Apr. 8, 1729, then being "of York," he sells this lot to Rowland Houghton, of Boston (p. 625.) In 1759, he was the County Treasurer (p. 70.)

NASH.—1 Joseph Nash married,—

2 Susanna ———.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Me.

Occupation: ———.

Children:

NASH.

3 Isaiah; b. June 22, 1748 (at Weymouth.)

4 Joseph; b. Mar. 17, 1753.

5 Susanna; b. May 30, 1755?; bap. June 3, 1753 (p. 663.)

6 Mary; bap. June 15, 1755 (p. 664.)

7 John; bap. Apr. 16, 1758 (p. 666.)

8 Abigail; bap. Mar. 29, 1761 (p. 714.)

Joseph Nash and wife Grace, of Boston, deed house and lands at North Yarmouth (Freeport), June 25, 1687 (pp. 465, 467, 741, 855.)

John Nash, of New Boston, had Sarah, bap. Aug. 11, 1774 (p. 803.)

ORR.—Daniel Orr, (wf Jane ———, 77 1st Ch., Aug. 1739), had child who died Apr. 27, 1741 (p. 1106.)

Clement Orr and Deborah Ward int. m. Feb. 9, 1752 (p. 654.)

John Orr had dau. Jane bap. Nov. 11, 1739 (p. 493.)

Robert Orr, of Brunswick or Topsham, bap. Aug. 10, 1746 (p. 615)

TUTTLE.—1 James Tuttle (Junior, see p. 1108), married,—

2 Hannah ———; 97, 1st Ch., May 16, 1742; d. June 13, 1754 (p. 1108.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine (pp. 830, 1111.)

Occupation: Farmer; lot 30, 1731, (p. 739.)

Children;

TUTTLE

3 Lydia; d. Dec. 7, 1736 (p. 1105.)

(10) 4 James; bap. Mar. 21, 1742 (p. 613.)

5 Phebe; bap. Apr. 25, 1742 (p. 613.)

6 Mercy; bap. June 28, 1747 (p. 616.)

7 Rebecca; bap. do.

(14) 8 Burrill; bap. do.

9 Elijah; bap. do.

10 Lydia; bap. do.; Nos. 235 and 509, 1st Ch.; m. Stephen Larrabee Harris, No. 15, p. 1173; for family, see Nos. 32-42, p. 1174.

(4) James Tuttle married,—

11 ———.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: ———.

Children : TUTTLE.

12 Anne ; bap. Aug. 2, 1778 (p. 858.)

13 Mercy ; bap. Sept. 24, 1780 (p. 859) ; m., July 25, 1800.

Cornelius Soule, No. 114, p. 975, where see family.

14 ———.

(7) Burrill Tuttle married, Nov. 9, 1755 (p. 660),—

15 Mary French ; b. Oct. 6, 1737 ; bap. Jan. 29, 1738 (p. 492) ; dau. of Elisha and Joanna (Eaton) French ; see No. 3, p. 891.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : Soldier in Revolutionary War.

Children : TUTTLE.

16 Lorana ; b. May 30, 1758 (bap. July 3, p. 666) ; 691, 1st Ch., Mar. 3, 1822 ; m. ——— Allen.

17 Thaddeus ; bap. Apr. 13, 1760 (p. 667.)

18 Libbeus ; bap. May 7, 1762 (p. 714.)

19 Archelaus ; bap. July 22, 1764 (p. 715)

20 Trueworthy ; bap. May 11, 1766 (p. 717.)

Lucy Tuttle, 720, 1st Ch., Apr. 7, 1822 ; d. Apr. 5, 1861, aged 48 ; m., 1st, Leach D. Prince (No. 261, p. 844) m.. 2d, Andrew Haven (see p. 1131.)

Statira S. Tuttle, 933, 1st Ch., Sept. 5, 1836, from 2d Ch. No. Yarmouth : b. May —, 1811, d. Oct. 20, 1837, aged 26 ; m., Oct. 29, 1835, Capt. James Joseph Humphrey (see No. 280, p. 892.)

TITCOMB.—1 Edmund Titcomb, Junior, 637, 1st Ch., May 19, 1816, d. Sept. 8, 1818, aged 87 ; married, Dec. 3, 1751 (p. 660.)

2 Martha Sweat.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : Farmer.

Children : TITCOMB.

3 Edmund ; bap. Apr. 6, 1760 (p. 667) ; 338, 1st Ch., Oct. 15, 1785 ; d. Sept. 1, 1833, aged 73.

4 Samuel ; bap. Aug. 1, 1762 (p. 714.)

5 Priscilla ; bap. May 5, 1765 (p. 716.)

6 Moses ; bap. Sept. 13, 1767 (p. 718.)

7 Samuel ; b. July 14, 1771 (p. 751.)

(9) 8 Benaiah ; b. Aug. 7, 1773 (bap. Dec. 5, p. 802) ; d. Dec. 31, 1844.

9 Enoch ; bap. Apr. 28, 1776 (p. 805.)

(8) Benaiah Titcomb married, Feb. 24, 1803,—

10 Sally Humphrey, No. 30, p. 834 ; b. Feb. 20, 1784, d. Aug. 12, 1861 ; dau. of Joseph and Margaret (Prince) Humphrey, of North Yarmouth.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : Farmer.

Children :

TITCOMB.

- 11 Eliza ; b. Jan. 14, 1804 ; d. Dec. 28, 1805.
- 12 Mary ; b. June 28, 1806 ; d. Sept. 11, 1831.
- 13 Eliza Ann ; b. Sept. 16, 1808 ; d. Sept. 28, 1879.
- (20) 14 Joseph ; b. Mar. 9, 1811 ; d. May 16, 1871.
- 15 Eunice H. ; b. Oct. 4, 1813 ; d. July 10, 1846.
- 16 Phebe ; b. June 14, 1816 ; d. Aug. 15, 1826.
- 17 Sarah ; b. Oct. 24, 1818.
- 18 Samuel Worster ; b. Aug. 12, 1821 ; d. Sept. 1, 1845.
- 19 Margaret ; b. June 21, 1825 ; d. June 12, 1826.
- 20 Benaiah ; b. Dec. 6, 1827 ; d. Dec. 14, 1876.

(14) Joseph Titcomb, pp. 899, 917, married, Dec. 20, 1836,

21 Joanna Loring Ring ; b. Apr. 11, 1809 ; No. 27, p. 915,
daughter of Andrew and Lucy (Loring) Ring.

Residence : Palmyra, Me.

Occupation : Farmer.

Children :

TITCOMB.

22 John Humphrey ; b. Oct. 2, 1837 ; d. Aug. 14, 1862, at
the Finley Hospital, Washington, D. C. ; member of 4th Battery
Maine Artillery.

23 Sanford Lyman ; b. Apr. 19, 1839 ; d. July 16, 1851.

24 William Henry ; b. May 19, 1841 ; killed, Dec. 13, '62,
at the battle of Fredericksburg, Va. ; member 16th Me. Infantry.

25 Lucy S. ; b. Sept. 15, 1848 ; m. Dana B. Ross. No. 200
p. 888, and 249 p. 922, b. Sept. 9, 1842, d. May 30, 1871.

26 Henrietta Ring ; b. Nov. 9, 1851 ; d. Dec. 1, 1859.

Nathan Titcomb, of North Yarmouth, blacksmith, (pp. 221-2),
(wf. ——— d. Dec. 16, 1761 (p. 1109), had dau. Deborah bap.
Nov. 25, 1764 (p. 715.)

Nathaniel Titcomb and Olive Phipps of Falmouth, int. of m.
Jan. 22, 1763 (p. 396.)

William Titcomb, of New Casco, had dau. Betsey bap. Apr.
23, 1800 (p. 981.)

Stephen Titcomb (of Wells, b. 1722. d. May 23, 1815), m.,
1748, Abigail Stone, of North Yarmouth, who was b. in 1724
and d. June 19, 1814 (pp. 435, 606.)

Maria S. Titcomb, daughter of William (p. 1111), 911 1st Ch.
June 29, 1834, dis. to High St. Ch., Portland, Mar. 11, 1840.

Benjamin Titcomb, of Portland, received approbation of the
Baptist Church. May 31, 1800, to preach. Baptised, Aug. 1799.
Pastor of First Baptist Church, Portland Maine (p. 812.)

TODD.—1 William Todd, of North Yarmouth, Me., married,
2 Abigail ——— (see pp. 752, 802, 804.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: ———.

Children: TODD.

3 Mary; bap. June 14, 1772 (p. 752.)

4 Anna; bap. Dec. 5, 1773 (p. 802.)

5 William; bap. Dec. 10 1775 (p. 804); d. young.

6 John; bap. May 9, 1779 (p. 858.)

7 William; bap. May 27, 1781 (p. 860.) He moved to St. Stephens, New Brunswick, in 1811, where he was a teacher for many years. He was town clerk of North Yarmouth (p. 52, Shepley); clerk of the Baptist church, 1805, (p. 432); and innholder, 1806. (p. 395.) He married Hannah Worthley of North Yarmouth, daughter of John and Martha Worthley, who was bap. May 7. 1775 (pp. 786, 804.) Among his sons was William, the most prominent citizen of the vicinity of St. Stephens (see No. 9, pp. 786, 787.)

8 Abigail; bap. June 29, 1783 (p. 901.)

9 Betsey; bap. July 10, 1785 (p. 903.)

10 Ebenezer; bap. Sept. 21, 1788 (p. 905)

TUCKER.—1 Thomas Tucker, of New Casco, married,—

2 ————.

Children: TUCKER.

3 Rachel; bap. Oct. 30, 1743 (p. 614.)

4 Martha; bap. Sept. 22, 1745 (p. 615.)

5 William; bap. Nov. 19, 1749 (p. 617.)

6 Tamson; bap. Mar. 31, 1754 (p. 663.)

7 David; bap. Apr. 11, 1756 (p. 665.)

TUCK.—1 Andrew Tuck married, Oct. 30, 1741 (p. 396, 660),

2 Sarah Mitchell, (No. 21, p. 249), daughter of Dea. Jacob and Rebecca (Cushman) Mitchell, of North Yarmouth, Me.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Yeoman, 1769 (see pp. 348, 1003.)

Children: TUCK.

3 Lydia; m. Daniel McCurdy, of Kennebec, Lincoln County, Maine, housewright (pp. 365, 366.)

4 Rebecca; m. Benjamin Sanbourne and had one daughter, Rebecca, who m. John Everton, of North Yarmouth, gentleman, (see pp. 365, 366, 1168.)

5 (Son); d. May 12, 1751 (p. 1107.)

TROW.—1 Solomon Trow, of Wells, Maine, married,—

2 Deborah (Loring) Ring (No. 303, p. 934), widow of Wm.

Ring (p. 913), daughter of John (20) and Elizabeth Loring.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: -----.

Children: TROW.

3 Anna; bap. Nov. 7, 1768 (p. 749); 626, 1st Ch., June 4, 1815, dis. to Chapel Ch., Sept. 16, 1820. rec'd back Dec. 15, 1826; m. Melzar Snell; she d. May 29, 1854, aged 89.

4 Israel; bap. do.

(6) 5 John; bap. do.

6 Jane; 539, 1st Ch., July 17, 1808; d. Feb. 25, 1851, aged 79; m. Edmund Cleaves; for family in full, see p. 1060.

(5) John Trow married,—

7 Hannah Lane; 512, 1st Ch., Sept. 15, 1799, dis. to ch. in Portland, Apr. 8, 1816.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: -----.

Children: TROW.

8 Israel; bap. Nov. 3, 1799 (p. 981.)

9 Hannah; bap. do.

10 John; bap. Oct. 5, 1800 (p. 981.)

11 Deborah Loring; bap. Apr. 3, 1803 (p. 983.)

12 Nathaniel Bennett; bap. Apr. 28, 1805 (p. 983.)

13 Mary Ann; bap. Aug. 7, 1808 (p. 984.)

14 Ruhamah; bap. Jan. 28, 1810 (p. 1016.)

Jane Trow, 919 1st Ch., May 3, 1835. dis. Mar. 18, 1866, to ch. in St. Anthony, Minn.; m. Samuel Hutchins.

GRAVESTONE INSCRIPTIONS.

The following inscriptions have been copied from the grave-stones in the old burying-ground at Yarmouth, Maine, by Mr. Frederick Odell Conant, of Portland.

This Perpetuates The | Memory of Cap^t | Cornelius Soul | who
Departed this | Life October y^e 20th | 1755 in the 52nd | Year of
his Age.

Here Lies Burried | y^e Body of M^{rs} | Martha Chandler | Who
Died Augst | 5th 1737 in y^e 21st | Year of her Age.

(A broken stone in a pile of rocks, reads): Body of | ELCH wife | WELCH | 1st 1737 | ar | ge. [Margaret (Larrabee) Welch, wf. of Benjamin, d. Dec. 1, 1737, see p. 1036.]

And from the yard west of the "old yard":

In Memory of | Deacon Jacob Mitchell | who Departed this Life | Dec^r 1st A. D. 1784 | in the 88th Year of his | Age. | The Memory of the Just is Blessed.

Here lie Buried the Remains | of M^{rs} Rachel Mitchell | Consort to Deacon | Jacob Mitchell | who Departed this Life | March y^e 15 A. D. 1768 | and in the 74th Year | of her Age.

Here Lyes Buried | The Body of | JOHN POWELL, Esq^r | aged 59 years | who dec^d Oct^r y^e 1st | 1742.

In Memory of Olive | Drinkwater Daugh^r | of Sylvanus and Mrs. | Rachel Drinkwater | who died May 1st 1777 | in the 3rd year of her | age.

In | memory of | M^{rs} RACHEL | DRINKWATER | wife of | Mr David Drinkwater | who was born Sep 11 1749 | & died Feb 11 1803 | Why mourn since death presents us peace.

In memory of | M^r Edward Rose | he died November | y^e 23rd 1784 | in the 25 year | of his age.

Beneath these clods of Silent Dust

I sleep where all the Living must.

The Gayest youth & fairest face

In time Will Be In this Dark Place.

Here | lies the Remains of | M^{rs} Debora Sweetser | the wife of | M^r Seth Sweetser | Born Aug y^e 11 1739 | & died March y^e 6th 1771.

In memory of | John Staple | son of M^r Daniel and | M^{rs} Lucy Staple | Died Sept y^e 19 1770 | age^t 2 years and 6 m^o

In memory of | Mr Salathiel Sweetser | Died May 3^d 1777 | in the 34th year | of his age.

In memory of | M^r Benjamin Mitchell | died Jan^{ry} 4 1791 | in the 49th year | of his age.

Lover and friend hast thou put far from me and my acquaint-

ance into Darkness.

In memory of | M^{rs} Bethia Blanchard | wife of | M^r Nathaniel
Blanchard | who died May 19 | 1780 | aged 49 years.

Erected | In memory of | Mr Benjamin Mitchell | he died Janu-
ary 26th 1786 in | the 74th year | of his | age.

The sweet remembrance of the just
Shall flourish when he sleeps in dust.

In memory of | M^r Levi Hayes | son | of M^r John Hayes | mem-
ber | of the Senior Class in the | College at Providence, Rhode
Island | who departed this life May 8 1789 | in the 24th year of
his age.

Death is a debt to nature due
As I have paid so must you.

In memory of | M^r Nathaniel Blanchard | who died | Aug 6
1807 | Aet. 80.

In memory of | M^r Samuel Cutter | died Apr 7 1824 ae 85 | also
M^{rs} Amelia his wife | died Oct 1809 ae 71.

In memory of | M^r David Cushing Loring | who departed this |
Life by drowning | Aug the 20th | 1783 in the | 35th year | of his
age.

In memory of | Charlotte the | daughter of Capt. Allen | &
Hannah Drinkwater | who died Jan^y 22^d | 1807 aged 17 months
and 8 days.

To the memory of | M^{rs} Sarah Loring | consort | of M^r David
Cushing Loring | daughter | of M^r John Hayes | who departed
this life May 12 1780 | in the 21st[?] year of her age.

The grass withers the mower fades.

In memory of | M^{rs} Mary Gray | consort of Capt. Joseph
Gray | who died Nov 7 | 1796 | aet 52.

This stone is consecrated | to the memory of | Capt. Joseph
Gray | who died | July 7th 1792 | in the 58th year | of his age.

In memory of | Joseph Drinkwater Jun^r | son of Cap^t Joseph
& | M^{rs} Mary Drinkwater | who died | Dec 27 1802 | aeat 18.

In memory of | Miss Charlotte Gray | dau^{tr} of Cap^t Joseph
Gray | who died Apr 23 | 1799 | aet 28.

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ALMANAC NOTES.

[BY DR. CHARLES E. BANKS.]

The following extracts from an interleaved almanac were published in the *Maine Genealogist & Biographer*, June, 1877, with a note by the editor stating that he had no means of ascertaining the name of the writer of the memoranda, "but from the names of the persons referred to, it would seem to apply to Old North Yarmouth." That the guess was a correct supposition may be verified by the interlineations which I subjoin. As to the writer I thought it might be one of the Chandler family, on account of the peculiar christian names, so freely used, indicating close consanguinity. The author notes that he was forty-three years of age Oct.-21st [1751], which would bring his birth in 1708. A solution of the problem was immediately found in the article on "Tax-List of 1759", page 304, *Old Times*, and I was able to refer the authorship to JONAS MASON, Esq.

Here it may be pertinent to add to, and correct, some statements made in that place concerning his wife. She was Mary, daughter of Joseph and Martha (Hunt) Chandler, of Duxbury, Mass., and was born Aug. 3, 1704, not 1702 as stated, being the sister of Judah, Jonathan and Edmund, mentioned in the notes.

1751.

Feb. 17 Mr. Bailey went home.

23 Edmund Chandler [82, 1st Ch.] scalded very bad.

26 Dea. Mitchell, Dr., to writing Mr. Denison of Lot No.
32, 5s.

Mar. 2 Jonathan Chandler [134, 1st Ch.], Dr. to writing indenture, 5s.

Mar. 7 Judah went with Drinkwater to Boston.

9 Judah Chandler, Dr., to 2 quarts of oyl, 10s.

Apr. 9 Lent Job Cole [147, 1st Ch.] pork 19 lbs.

9 Lent Kendle [perhaps 172, 1st Ch.] 13 lbs pork.

9 Lent Judah 21½ lbs pork.

May 25 Joseph Chandler, Solomon [102, 1st Ch.] and Daniel Mitchell taken captive by the Indians, and King's oxen killed by them [see p. 262.]

June 8 Joseph Burnil killed and scalpt by the Indians. [Smith's Journal, June 8, 1751, says. "Job Burnal was killed by the Indians, on the road behind Capt. Merrill's, and his horse also."] [Should be Joseph Burnell: see p. 909: also p. 50, 1st Ch. Cat., where the date is erroneously given as 1741.]

July 12 Sent £21, 4s, New Hampshire currency, by Jonathan Chandler, to be changed.

Aug. 10 Gilbert Winslow [119, 1st Ch.], Dr., to Ebenezer and John's work from Wednesday morning to Saturday night.

Sept. 6 Benjamin Larrabee [see p. 1107] drowned.

8 News of Joseph Chandler's return from captivity.

Oct. 18 Moses Brown's wife died [see p. 1107.]

21 Myself and two sons workt for Mrs. Larrabee, digging potatoes. My birthday: arrived to 43 years.

Oct. 25 Mr. [Joseph] Fellows died with a hurt by a fall in ye grist mill ye day before [see pp. 1030, 1107.]

Nov. 6 Benjamin Brown's [166, 1st Ch.] house burnt.

7 Annual Thanksgiving. Crocker and Rebecca Cole married. [James Crocker (39, p. 967, and 255, 1st Ch.), and Rebecca Cole (10, p. 966, and 169, 1st Ch.), dau. of Ephraim and Susanna (Waste) Cole, b. at Duxbury, Nov. 28, 1729.]

Nov. 11 Mrs. Paul [146, 1st Ch. Cat., which gives her death as Nov. 12. She was Lydia, wife of Daniel Paul, 145, 1st Ch., see p. 1107.]

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DEATHS IN YARMOUTH, MAINE,

1880-1881-1882.

[CAPT. JAMES JOSEPH HUMPHREY.]

1880.

Jan. 9 William C. Seabury, 61 yrs. 3 mos.

- Jan. 16 William Mitchell.
 Feb. 25 Hiram Welch, 52 yrs.
 Mar. 17 Mary H. (Ross), wid. of Jere. Blaisdell, 76 y. 2 m.
 Apr. 11 Joseph Seabury, 78 y. 8 m.
 13 Julia A. (Drinkwater), wid. Jere. Bucknam, 76 y. 6 m.
 May 12 Rosa L., wf. of Saml. Lovell, 38 y.
 12 Mary B., dau. John B. & Mary E. Drinkwater, 11 y 2 m.
 22 Cyrus Foss Sargent, 65 y. 9 m.
 27 Harriet E. Brown, 24 y. 6 m.
 28 Edith M., dau. Anson N. & Olive A. Hicks, 2 y.
 June 13 Eva M. Soule, 5 y. 9 m.
 July 12 Emma K. (Townsend) King, 29 y. 1 m.
 27 Nathaniel P. Small, 73 y. 8 m.
 28 Lucy (Lane), wid. Rotheus Drinkwater, 76 y. 11 m.
 Aug. 10 Ruth K., dau. Josiah & Sarah K. Walker, 1 m.
 10 Anna M., dau. Wm. & Lucy G. Edevean, 16 y. 6 m.
 14 Harriet (Drinkwater), wid. Wm. Mason, 72 y. 11 m.
 20 Charles O. Grant, 6 m.
 Sept. 11 Daniel Sweetser, 80 y. 5 m.
 Oct. 30 Dr. G. P. Thompson, 84 y.
 Nov. 11 Betsey Jane, dau. Asa & Sarah York, 45 y. 5 m.
 20 Jane (Davis), wid. Joseph Seabury, 81 y. 8 m.
 Dec. 21 Mary C. Justus, 27 y. 11 m.
 21 John Curet, 48 y.

1881.

- Jan. 12 Sally B. (Humphrey), wf. Elijah Ross, 71 y. 10 m.
 22 Deborah S. York, 61 y. 10 m.
 28 Bertie H. Ross, 5 y.
 Feb. 1 Widow Ruth Farr, 81 y. 5 m.
 2 Sally M. Soule, 53 y. 9 m.
 2 Daniel Small, 86 y. 5 m.
 2 Child of A. L. & Nellie Loring, 7 d.
 5 Paul F., son of John & Ellen J. Seabury, 3 y. 4 m.
 12 Levi Greenleaf, 28 y. 1 m.
 16 Eunice C., dau. Capt. John & Anna Cleaves, 49 y.
 27 Emily (Richards), wf. Joseph Bachelder, 72 y. 3 m.
 Mar. 2 Orice A. Daniels, 26 y. 6 m.
 15 Child of Mr. Larrabee, 3 d.
 17 Jeremiah B. Ruby, 63 y.
 19 Child of John M. & Abby Cobb, 4 d.
 21 Truxton Walker, 83 y. 3 m.
 27 Nicholas Grant, 76 y. 5 m.
 Apr. 18 Elizabeth B. (Chandler), wf. of Capt. Tristram G. Mitchell, 72 y. 9 m.
 Apr. 25 Edmond C. Sawyer, 72 y.
 29 Milford A., son of Henry W. & Anna ———.
 May 22 Capt. Tristram G. Mitchell, 69 y. 9 m.

- May 31 Olive A., wf. of Anson N. Hicks, 32 y. 1 m.
 June 20 Caroline S. Drinkwater.
 25 Chester M. Soule, 1 y. 9 m.
 July 22 Grace E. Maybury, 14 y. 5 m.
 25 Henrietta (Hitchcock), wf. of Henry Gregory, 28 y. 3m.
 Aug. 5 Rose E., wf. of Horatio Soule, 31 y. 7 m.
 19 Samuel D. Hill, 62 y. 2 m.
 Sept. 10 Child of Leonard & Elizabeth Soule, 7 d.
 10 Sarah E. (Cutter), wid. Enos Chandler, 76 y. 9 m.
 27 Melinda (Snow), wid. Edward Holyoke, 73 y. 7 m.
 28 Harriet (Todd), wf. Darius Knight, 39 y. 7 m.
 Oct. 6 Hannah Drinkwater, 83 y. 2 m.
 13 David Sawyer, 17 y. 7 m.
 17 Margaret A. Rogers, 32 y. 11 m.
 Nov. 16 Sarah (Read), wid. of John Mason, 61 y. 4 m.
 26 Joseph W., son of Capt. Joseph & Mary Bucknam,
 aged 26 y. 4 m.
 Nov. 27 Widow Elvira McQuillen, 74 y. 7 m.
 Dec. 2 Phebe (Griffin), wf. of Joseph Parker, 71 y. 11 m.
 10 Margaret (Noyes) Gooch, 84 y. 11 m.
 27 Albion Seabury, 75 y. 2 m.
 28 Margaret L. (Walker), wf. N. B. Roberts, 48 y. 3 m.

1882.

- Jan. 14 Joseph R. Prince, 69 y. 6 m.
 19 Capt. John Young, 87 y. 2 m.
 Feb. 5 Catherine Bates, 80 y. 2 m.
 16 Sylvanus C. Rowe, 74 y. 4 m.
 20 Alice G., dau. Wm. H. & Elizabeth J. Berry, 11 m.
 23 James Blake, 78 y. 4 m.
 25 Dr. James M. Bates, 92 y. 5 m.
 26 Almira E., dau. Geo. N. & Sarah C. Soule, 1 m.
 26 Henry S. Willey, 31 y. 9 m.
 Mar. 3 Elijah Ross, 81 y. 3 m.
 12 Lena Bell, dau. Thomas & Mary Pratt, 25 y. 8 m.
 51 Aurilla (Grouse), wf. Walter Harris, 71 y. 5 m.
 Apr. 15 Desiah (Bates), wid. Jacob G. Loring, 76 y. 7 m.
 May 12 Sarah E., dau. Jos. G. & Lucy H. Merrill, 41 y. 2 m.
 15 Thomas B. Groves, 36 y. 10 m.
 June 16 M. Gertrude, dau. Irvin F. & Gertrude True.
 20 Jane G. (True), wid. Martin Ring, 81 y. 11 m.
 25 Burton W. Lovell, 28 y. 1 m.
 29 Bessie C. Barbour, 1 y. 4 m.
 July 1 Asa A. Gammon, 29 y. 10 m.
 21 Abby C. (Dennison), wf. Robert E. Corliss, 72 y. 9 m.
 21 George L. Loring, 10 y. 5 m.
 25 Alonzo P., son of David & Isabella Wyer, 3 y. 8 m.

- July 28 William D., son Wm. B. & Sophia E. Paine 6 y. 8 m.
 29 Clarence E. Blake, 27 y.
 Aug. 4 William H. Allen, 59 y. 7 m.
 Sept. 1 Lillie A. Barbour
 1 Charles A. Carswell, 18 y. 4 m.
 10 Margaret (Humphrey) widow of Master David Pratt,
 86 y. 7 m.
 11 Anna (True), wid. Capt. Jas. Field, Jr., 88 y. 7 m.
 29 Hannah G. (Ring), wid. Capt. Daniel R. Humphrey,
 73 y. 10 m.
 Oct. 9 Mary A. Young, 84 y. 10 m.
 20 Mary Bell. dau. Isaac & Lucy A. Johnson, 5 y. 9 m.
 22 Mary, wf. Edward E. Sawyer, 70 y. 5 m.
 22 Nellie, wf. William Moxcey, 33 y.
 28 Joseph A. Gooch, 66 y. 10 m.
 Nov. 13 Mary E. (Dyer), wf. John F. Littlefield, 34 y. 8 m.
 14 Mary (Vining), wf. Capt. Samuel Baker, 72 y. 8 m.
 15 Horace A., 9 y. 4 m., and, on the 22d, Lizzie M., 3
 y. 6 m., ch. of John W. & Susan P. Hanscomb.
 28 Samuel W. Gould, 66 y. 6 m.
 Dec. 3 Lucy M., dau. Rufus & Martha A. Stoddard.
 9 Florence G., dau. Leonard & Elizabeth Soule, 4 m.

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REVOLUTIONARY WAR LETTER.

The following letter has been kindly furnished for *Old Times* by Mr. S. P. Mayberry, Cape Elizabeth, Maine.

North Yarmouth, Oct. 27th, 1778.

To the Hon^{ble} Board of War, State of Masschu^{tts} Bay;

Gentlemen: M^r Lewis has furnished us with a Schedule from the office by which there Appears to be ten guns, 228 ¹bs of lead, 192 Flynts, 7 gun Locks, by a Resolve of the General Court to be Sold to this Town: and by a Resolve lately published there is to be sold to the several Towns six guns to every Hundred male inhabitants: this Town number returned was 404, which intitles us to the purchase of 24 guns, beside the ten above by the former

Resolve, which ten M^r Lewis informs us he thinks we [were] to have for £4, 10s a piece, the whole number of guns thirty four.

Please to deliver the whole of the above Stores to M^r David Drinkwater for our use, he paying for the same, as he has agreed to transport the same to us.

SAM^l MERRILL }
SAM^l CUTTER } Selectmen.

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REV. NICHOLAS LORING'S FUNERAL.

The following extract from the records of North Yarmouth has been furnished by Capt James J. Humphrey, of Yarmouthville, Maine.

North Yarmouth, Aug. first 1763.

Pursuant to warning from the Selectmen of this town, the Freeholders & other inhabitants of said town met at the Meeting-House at 8 of the clock. A. M., and voted as follows, viz :

That Jere^b Powell, Esq., be the Moderator of this meeting.

Voted, that Jer^h Powell & Jonas Mason, Esq., and Dea. Jacob Mitchell be a Committee for providing such things as the town shall order for the Rev^d M^r Loring's Funeral: That Fans, Gloves, Shoes, Ribbons, Buckels, Butons, Vails & Hoods for the Four Daughters: Hatbands, Buckels & Gloves for the Three Eldest Sons, and a Fan, Gloves & a Handkerchete for Bezaleel Loring's wife be provided by the Committee at the expence of the Town.

Voted, that the Widow Loring be put into decent mourning, at the Discretion of the Committee.

Voted, that Rings & Gloves be provided for the Six Pall Bearers, and Gloves for the Porters or under Bearers.

Voted, that the Committee provide what other things are necessary for the Funeral at their Discretion.

Voted, that the Committee transmitt the whole of what expence

they shall be at toward said funeral to the Assessors as soon as may be, in order to its being put in with the next town assessments: and then said Moderator Desolved said meeting.

Signed by Jeremiah Powell, Moderator. Entered by David Mitchell, Town Clerk.

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NEGRO SERVANTS.

The *Portland Globe*, Nov. 29. 1884, has the following article relative to North Yarmouth:

COPY OF AN ORIGINAL PAPER.

Pursuant to the above order, we Certify there are Two Negro Males & one Female. The female belongs to the Minister of the Town.

Jan. 17, 1755, North Yarmouth.

JONAS MASON	} Assessors.
EDMUND CHANDLER	
JNO. LEWIS	

This paper will add to the history of North Yarmouth, and we hope that the editor of *Old Times* will insert. I have not at hand the list of ministers of North Yarmouth, but my impression is that it was Mr. Loring. We find that, May 8th, 1755, there was a council held with the church at Purpooduck, at which were present Messrs. Loring, Hovey, Morrill and Thomas Smith, which was on account of the division relating to the settlement of Rev. Ephraim Clark, at the desire of Christopher Strout, Robert Thorndike and Samuel Skillings, Jr. Mr. Clark, who had been a minister in Boston, was more liberal in his views than it suited many of the ministers of that day, and that was an innovation which they wished to break down, as it was an entering wedge for the people to throw off the yoke that the ministers had over the people. In my father's day, it was a custom if the boys saw the minister travelling, to take off their caps and stand uncovered until he passed. They impressed upon the people that they were God's

avored, and must be respected.

Cape Elizabeth.

S. P. MAYBERRY.

The pages of this magazine show the following items relative to the early negro inhabitants of North Yarmouth. Some, if not all, were slaves. Col. Jeremiah Powell had a coachman, "Landers," or "London," and his wife, Polly, was the housekeeper; they had children Boston and Dinah (see pp. 666, 1109, 1111, and 1166.) Mr. ——— Royall had a negro named "Pompey" (see p. 1110.) Mrs. Mary Richmond) Loring, wife of Rev. Nicholas Loring, had two negroes, "Cuffey," and "Billinder" or "Billonder," who had a son Aaron (see pp. 493, 665, 878.)

T. B.

THE GOOCH FAMILY.

On page 1133, *Old Times*, speaking of the old farm-house just across the red bridge, the writer, speaking of John Gooch, says, "who was known as Mitchell Gooch. He had sons Jonathan and Isaac A."

The elder John Gooch (1, p. 1123), who lived there, was the father of [Jonathan] Mitchell Gooch (8, p. 1123) and also of John Gooch, Jr., (5, p. 1123), and John, Jr., (5), was the father of Jonathan (18) and Isaac A. (who should be 18½), hence the [Jonathan] Mitchell Gooch was their uncle.

John Gooch (1) lived to a great age, and died on the old farm near the red bridge, more than forty years ago. John Gooch, Jr., (5), who had a family of ten children, lived and died on his farm opposite the "Pound," a mile or more above Yarmouthville postoffice, on the road to Walnut Hill. The old homestead is still occupied by John's eldest son, Benjamin Rowe Gooch (15, p. 1123, also see p. 952), who is raising up another generation to perpetuate the name.

This branch of the Gooch family have always been known as good christian, peaceful citizens, and, if not all thrifty, none have been profligate, dishonest or intemperate.

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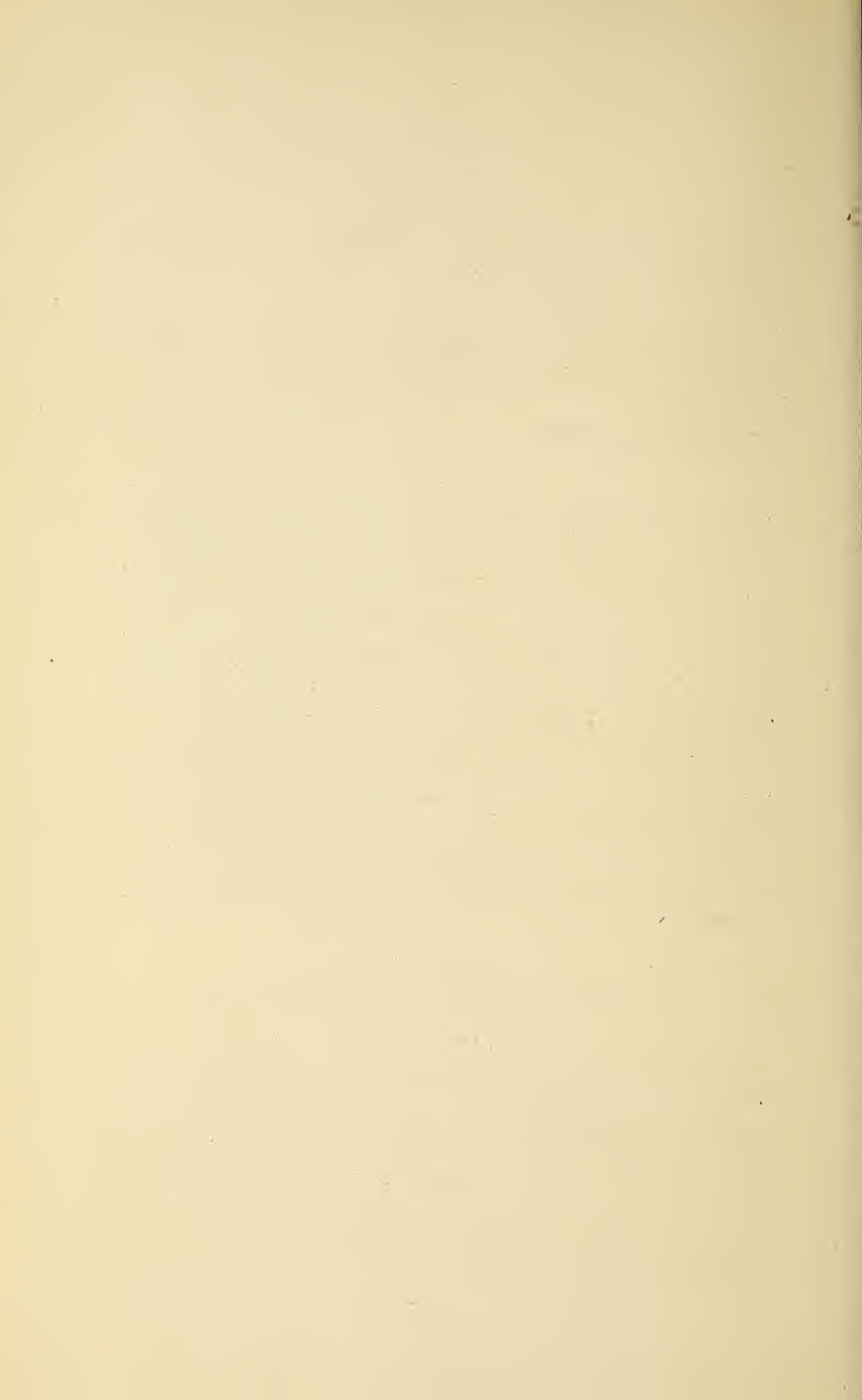
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NORTH YARMOUTH, MAINE.

(Continued from page 1042.)

At a meeting held Oct. 8, 1734, the following business came up for action: 1st, to choose a Treasurer; 2d, to receive accounts; 4th, about clearing and fencing the minister's lot; 5th, about the roads being cleared; 6th, about running the northeast town line; 7th, about surveys being completed; 8th, about reserving stone and rock-weed for the town's use; 9th, to receive petitions; 10th, to consider propositions for building a mill; 11th, to arrange how to draw money from the Proprietors' treasury; 12th, to choose a committee to improve undivided lands; 13th, to hear petitions of Benjamin Edwards, George Monk, James Pitson, John and Thos. Hill, Admrs. of Capt. James Parker, Rowland Houghton and Edward Shove; 14th, about a copy of the Proprietors' Book to be kept in Boston; 15th, to choose a committee to oppose claims for land on Royall's River; 3d, (omitted above), about a garrison for Rev. A. R. Cutter. This was signed by Samuel Seabury, Samuel Fisher and Francis Wyman, Committee of North Yarmouth.

At the above meeting, held in the old church, and with Jacob Mitchell as Moderator, action was taken as follows: The first article was dismissed. Ezekiel Lewis, Oxenbridge Thatcher and Timothy Prout appointed a committee on accounts. The third, fourth and fifth articles dismissed. David Seabury, Francis Wyman and Edward King to be a Committee to run the northeast boundary line from the mouth of Bungomungonug River south-east into the sea.

Andrew Ring to see that the surveyors finish their work. The eighth and ninth articles dismissed. Joseph Chandler, Benjamin Prince and Cornelius Soule to receive proposals to build a mill. The eleventh article dismissed. Francis Wyman, Robt. Johnson, Andrew Ring, Andrew Gray and Barnabas Winslow a Committee to improve two islands belonging to the Proprietors, called Mosier's Islands. Benjamin Edwards' petition dismissed. Ten shillings per acre abated on the twenty-six acres of Geo. Monk and Jas. Pitson, on the road from Holman's Point to the meeting-house.

That a small island called Farrow's, Ram, Pumpkin or Hen Island, containing half an acre, near Holman's Point, is granted to John and Thos. Hill. A small gore of land granted Rowland Houghton. Five pounds voted Edward Shove. That Mr. John Smith, of Boston, once clerk of the General Court's Committee for resettling North Yarmouth, deliver to Saml. Seabury, Esq., the Town or Proprietors' Book which will be delivered to Ammi R. Cutter, Proprietors' Clerk, who will copy the same and send the copy to Rowland Houghton, of Boston, for safe-keeping.

Job Lewis, John Smith, Rowland Houghton and Jacob Mitchell appointed to appear at the York court to oppose the Stevens claim for land on Royall's River, and a tax was laid to raise funds for that purpose. This tax was to be paid to George Monk, of Boston, and Benjamin Prince, of North Yarmouth.

TO PAY TO GEORGE MONK, OF BOSTON.

Lot 2, John Holmans' assigns or John Smith, Jr. 3, Samuel Smith. 73, John Smith, Jr. & Thos. Hill. 4, Thos. Daggett's heirs. 5, Thos. Crafts or Monk and Gray. 6, George Monk. 8, Barnabas Hatch or Isaac Little. 12, Saml. York. 14, Jere. Moulton or Houghton. 15, Wm. Dudley or do. 17, Rich. Bray's assigns or Benj. Edwards. 71, Saml. White's heirs or do. 38, Roger Edwards' assigns or do. 7, Ephraim Crafts or Monk & Gray.

Lot 63, Thos. Stearns or Job Lewis. 64, Job Lewis. 34, Henry Coombs' assigns or ——— Davis. 23, John Mains' assigns or ——— Smith. 26, Amos Stevens' assigns or do. 66, Abiah Wadsworth or do. 84, Nathl. Brewer's heirs or Jedediah Southworth. 85, Wm. Tailor's heirs or John Ross. 90, John Atwell's assigns or Stowers Sprague. 93, Byfield Lyde & Jacob Mitchell. 95, Saml. Brown's heirs & Elisha French.

Lot 97, John York's heirs or Wm. Young of Cape Ann. 102, Middlecott Cook & David Seabury. 105, John Royal's assigns or Jacob Royal. 76, Margery Stevens or Joseph Calef. 101, Jas. Pitson. 67, 68, John Smith. 103, Walter Gendall' assigns. 106, Thos. Mains' assigns. 45, Old John Harris' assigns or John Dabney. 47, Thos. Blashfield's assigns or do.

Lot 48, Cornelius Soule. 49, 70, John Powell. 50, Henry

Deering. 51, Joseph Maylem. 53, Daniel Watts. 57, Moses Felt. 58, Robert Stanford or, (all in this paragraph from and including 48, John Powell.) 70, John Powell. 54, Ephraim Fenno, John Powell or Edward King. 55, Edward Shove or Barnabas Winslow. 74, John Buttolph. 80, Jonas Rice.

TO PAY TO BENJAMIN PRINCE, OF NORTH YARMOUTH.

Lot 1, Benjamin Prince. 9, Robert Johnson or Andrew Ring. 10, Wm. Bond or Robert Davy. 11, Francis Wyman. 13, Phineas Jones or Jas. Parker's heirs. 16, Benj. Flagg or And. Ring. 18, Gilbert Winslow. 19, Saml. Fisher. 20, Jonathan Watson or Robt. Johnson. 21, John Batten's assigns or Saml. Seabury. 22, John Smith or * * * * Vicary. 24, John Smith or Jas. Parker's heirs.

Lot 25, Jas. Parker's heirs or Seth Mitchell. 27, Peter Blackman's assigns & Jonas Mason. 28, John Stearns or Edw. King. 29, Isaac Larrabee or Samuel Seabury & Abraham Creighton. 56, George Felt's assigns or Cornelius Soul. 59, Wm. Scales' heirs. 60, Richard Flagg or Cornelius Soul. 61, Thos. Smith, Jr., or Cornelius Soul.

Lot 62, Seth Mitchell or Joshua Bangs. 65, Jedediah Southworth or Ephraim Sturdivant & Thos. Loring. 69, Hugh Blinning or Jos. Drinkwater. 72, Jos. Bartlett or Saml. Totman. 77, Jos. Mitchell or Isaac Pope. 78, Jas. McFaden or Barnabas Seabury. 79, Barnabas Seabury. 81, Joseph Chandler.

Lot 30, Wm. Larrabee or Jas. Tuttle. 31, Stephen Larrabee. 32, Thos. Larrabee or John True. 33, Saml. Larrabee or Edw. King. 35, John Provender. 36, Wm. Ashfell or — Goodwin. 37, Benjamin Larrabee or Saml. Proctor. 40, Jos. Harris or Amos Harris. 42, Tobias Oakman or Saml. Baker. 43, Gershom Rice or John Sweetser. 44, Jos. Harris or Amos Harris. 46, Thos. or Jedediah Southworth. 52, Saml. Baker or Ammi Ruhamah Cutter.

Lot 82, Perez Bradford. 83, Isaac Little or — Cushing. 86, Barnabas Winslow. 87, John Smith or Jas. Russell. 88, David Seabury or Jacob Mitchell. 89, Thos. Fish or Stephen Larrabee. 91, Jacob Mitchell. 92, Peter Walton or Jacob Brown. 94, John Alden or Abraham Pettingill. 96, Samuel Seabury & Abner Brown. 98, Wm. Coomer or Ebenezer Eaton. 99, Bartholomew Flagg or Jacob True. 100, James Buxton or Jacob & Seth Mitchell. 104, Sampson Salter or Andrew Gray.

George Monk was to collect £48, 0, 0, and Benjamin Prince £55, 0, 0.

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AMMI RUHAMAH CUTTER, Proprietors' Clerk.

THE BUXTON FAMILY.

(Revised and enlarged from pages 1146-1153.)

1 James Buxton, the first settler of the name at North Yarmouth, Maine, was probably a son of John Buxton, of Salem, Mass., and grandson of Anthony Buxton the first on record who came to America. He was at North Yarmouth in 1723, and was among those who lived "convenient to go to Mr. William Scales's garrison." He drew home-lot No. 100, May 18, 1727 (p. 629), at the division of lands. See pages 32, 458, 682, 741, 822 and 823.

He married,—

2 Susanna Scales; No 2, p. 163; daughter of William and Susanna (or Hannah) Scales (pp. 99, 630.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children:

BUXTON.

(13) 3 William; b. Feb. 19, 1726 (p. 32.)

4 Ebenezer; b. Oct. 20, 1727 (at N. Yar., p. 32.)

5 Hannah; b. Sept 17, 1731 (p. 32); bap. Oct. 31, 1731 (p. 491); m., Dec. 13, 1753, Ezekiel Loring, No. 301, p. 934, where see family; see pp. 654, 659.

(16) 6 Cornelius; bap. Nov. 4, 1733 (p. 491); d. Jan. 13, 1784.

(104) 7 Mary; bap. Apr. 15, 1739 (p. 493.)

(146) 8 Susanna; bap. Apr. 26, 1747 (p. 616.)

(153) 9 Benjamin; bap. Apr. 8, 1750 (p. 617.)

10 James. Lived in Falmouth.

11 Samuel.

12 John.

13 Elizabeth.

(Last three supposed to be his children.)

(3) William Buxton married,—

14 Lydia Jones.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation; Farmer; Town Clerk; Selectman.

Children:

BUXTON.

15 Susanna.

16 Mary; m., 1st, Samuel Cutter (see No. (20), p. 769); m., 2d, Bethuel Wood (see p. 769); 578 1st Ch.; d. Oct. 1, 1844.

(6) Cornelius Buxton (295 1st Ch., July 31, 1774) (see pp. 38, 70, 71, 92, 295, 506), married (int. of m. Apr. 29, 1762, pp. 32, 396).—

17 Lydia Bucknam (296 1st Ch.), b. July 16, 1742; d. Feb. 7, 1778; (No. 21, p. 1120, also see p. 112), dau. of Wm. and Ann (Pote) Bucknam, of Falmouth, Me. He married, 2d, 18 Abigail Blanchard (No. 6, p. 1090). (340 1st Ch.); b. Oct. 31, 1750; bap. Dec. —, 1750 (p. 617); d. Aug. 2, 1832 (pp. 88, 108); daughter of Nathaniel and Hannah (Shaw) Blanchard, of North Yarmouth, Me.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Farmer; Constable and Collector.

Children:

BUXTON.

(23) 19 William; b. Jan. 22, 1763; bap. Sept. 29, 1765 (p. 716); d. Mar. 25, 1845.

20 Phebe; b. Aug. 22, 1764; bap. Sept. 29, 1765 (p. 716); d. Apr. 9, 1812; m. Jacob Mitchell, No. 29, pp. 249, 251, where see family.

(42) 21 Jeremiah; b. Aug. 28, 1768; d. July 19, 1836; (see pp. 307, 395.)

22 Anna; b. May 9, 1770; bap. June 24, 1770 (p. 759); d. May 4, 1799; (418 1st Ch.); unmarried.

23 Reuben; b. Apr. 7, 1781; bap. June 16, 1782 (p. 861); d. Oct. 8, 1786.

(19) William Buxton was a soldier of the Revolutionary War, being a member of Capt. John Gray's company in Col. Jonathan Mitchell's regiment, that took part in the Penobscot expedition. He was in the service nine months. In after life, he was a prominent and respected citizen of North Yarmouth, and afterwards of Cumberland, filling for many years offices of trust. He was a member of the Convention that framed the Constitution of Maine, and was repeatedly chosen to the State Senate.

See pages 54, 75, 97, 108, 120, 144, 209, 294, 319, 365, 395, 396, 428, 549, 559, 584, 620. He married, June —, 1789,—

24 Deborah Fisher, of North Yarmouth, Maine, (No. 6, p. 1029), bap. June 15, 1760 (p. 667); d. Mar. 3, 1804; daughter of Samuel and Hannah (Blanchard) Fisher.

He married, 2d, Apr. 11, 1816.—

25 Hannah Prince. (No. 141, pp. 762, 791); b. Aug. 8, 1787; d. Apr. 18, 1863; daughter of Thomas and Hannah (Prince) Prince; she was 611 1st Ch., Dec. 6, 1812.

Residence: North Yarmouth and Cumberland, Maine.

Occupation: Merchant and Farmer (see pp. 396, 431.)

Children:

BUXTON.

26 Lydia; b. May 31, 1799; d. Nov. 3, 1817; unmarried.

27 Edward; b. Dec. 19, 1791; d. Jan. 5, 1819; unm.

28 Abigail; b. June 18, 1793; d. Dec. 6, 1811; unm.

29 Joseph; b. Dec. 22, 1794; d. Feb. 12, 1837; (see pp. 296, 548, 585); unm.

30 Hannah; b. Aug. 20, 1796; d. Nov. 20, 1878; unm.

(35) 31 William; b. Dec. 5, 1797; d. Dec. 22, 1848.

(38) 32 Jeremiah; b. Dec. 5, 1797; d. July 29, 1838.

(40) 33 Anna; b. Dec. 28, 1803; d. Jan. 4, 1880.

34 Julia Staniford; b. Mar. 26, 1820; d. Jan. 26, 1821.

35 Phebe Mitchell; b. Apr. 9, 1825; res. Bethel, Me.

(31) William Buxton (pp. 518, 585), married, Apr. 9, 1840,

36 Mary A. Lang.

Residence: Cumberland, Maine.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children: BUXTON.

37 Edward Franklin; b. Aug. 17, 1841; d. Oct. 5, 1871; unmarried.

38 Maria Gray; b. Oct. 15, 1846; d. Dec. 29, 1880; unm.

(32) Jeremiah Buxton (see pp. 168, 548, 585), married, Dec. 12, 1833,—

39 Mary Steele; 1033 1st Ch., Sept. 6, 1840; married, 2d. Nicholas Rideout, of Cumberland, Me.

Residence: Cumberland, Maine.

Occupation: Merchant.

Children: BUXTON.

40 Julia; b. Jan. —, 1836; d. June 21, 1841.

(33) Anna Buxton married, June —, 1825,—

41 David Gray, son of Jacob (No. 22, p. 1116) and Apphia (Drinkwater) Gray.

Residence: Cumberland, Maine.

Occupation: Shipmaster.

Children: GRAY.

42 Horace Irving; b. Aug. 1834; d. Jan. 14, 1870; unm.

(21) Jeremiah Buxton married, — —, 1796,—

43 Jane (Drinkwater) Gray, (widow of Andrew, No. 39, p. 1117), b. Mar. 14, 1772; d. Nov. 10, 1847; see No. 35, pp. 388, 399, also see pp. 341, 930.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Farmer; Merchant. See pp. 10, 75, 106, 114, 505, 508, 559, also Nos. 182-194, p. 399.)

Children: BUXTON.

(55) 44 William; b. Oct. 28, 1796; d. July 27, 1873.

45 Reuben; b. Mar. 12, 1798; drowned, Dec. 4, 1819.

(58) 46 Jeremiah; b. Sept. 19, 1799; d. June 12, 1878.

47 Anna; b. Aug. 22, 1801; d. Oct. 31, 1801.

48 (Son); b. May 11, 1803; d. same day.

49 Jane Drinkwater; b. Aug. 15, 1804; d. Aug. 11, '05.

50 Andrew Gray; b. Jan. 23, 1806; d. Aug. 20, 1808.

51 Jacob Mitchell; b. June 22, 1808; d. young.

52 (Son); b. Feb. 28, 1810; d. Mar. 1, 1810.

(63) 53 Edward Gray; b. Jan. 23, 1811; d. Jan. 5, 1881; see No. 202, p. 1084

(88) 54 Phebe Mitchell; b. Dec. 3, 1813; d. Dec. 25, 1883.

(101) 55 Susan Drinkwater; b. June 6, 1816; d. Mar. 8, 1841.

(44) William Buxton married, Oct. 27, 1836,—

56 Jane Chadbourne (No. 234, p. 401.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Merchant and Farmer. (See pp. 507, 508; also newspaper notice on pp. 1149-1150.)

Children: BUXTON.

57 Abbie A.; b. May 16, 1838; d. July 19, 1860; p. 342.

58 William Marrett; b. Apr. 19, 1848; d. Sept. 4, 1878; m. Rachel Allen; (see pp. 306, 340.)

(46) Jeremiah Buxton (see pp. 75, 173, 274, 280, 508, 547, 1004), married, Dec. 25, 1825,—

59 Mariam Drinkwater Byram (No. 221, p. 401, and No. 56, p. 1176), daughter of Jonathan and Susanna (Drinkwater) Byram.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Shipmaster.

Children: BUXTON.

60 George D.; b. Oct. 5, 1826; d. Mar. 8, 1842; p. 308.

61 Jane C.; b. Jan. 6, 1829.

62 William Henry; b. Dec. 10, 1830; res. Virginia City, Nevada.

63 Willard W.; b. Oct. 28, 1843; wounded at the battle of Gettysburg, July 2, 1863; d. July 10, 1863; see p. 233.

(53) Edward Gray Buxton married, Jan. 23, 1835,

64 Lydia Chase; No. 241, p. 402, and No. 104, pp. 1081, 1084; b. Jan. 27, 1811; daughter of Jacob and Lydia (Bacon) Chase.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Yarmouth, and Eastport, Me.

Occupation: Merchant; Hotel-keeper; Postmaster, Yarmouth, 1849-52 (pp. 66, 67), also see p. 173.

Children: BUXTON.

(69) 65 Jeremiah; b. Dec. 11, 1835 (see p. 402.)

(73) 66 George Quinby; b. Oct. 21, 1837.

(77) 67 Frances Chase; b. Feb. 1, 1839.

(80) 68 Edward Smith; b. May 9, 1842.

(84) 69 Charles Moxey; b. Jan. 9, 1852.

(65) Jeremiah Buxton married, Jan. 26, 1862,—

70 Esther A. Frost (1330 1st Ch.), of Leeds, Me.

Residence: Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Manfr Patent Medicines.

Children: BUXTON.

71 Abbie Adna; b. Apr. 25, 1863.

72 Frank Jennings; b. Dec. 9, 1864.

73 Laura Chase; b. July 14, 1867; d. Dec. 16, 1867.

(66) George Quinby Buxton married,

74 Lucetta S——.

Residence: Yarmouth, Me.; Randolph, Cal.; Sierra Valley, Cal. (1880.)

Occupation: Proprietor of stage-line to Truckee, Cal.; hotel.

Children: BUXTON.

75 Frank B.; b. 1867.

76 ———.

77 ———.

(67) Frances Chase Buxton married, Aug. 2, 1868,—

78 Richard B. Hines, of Cambridgeport, Mass.

Residence: Cambridgeport, Mass.

Occupation: ———.

Children: HINES.

79 Florence May.

80 Edward Buxton.

(68) Edward Smith Buxton married, Oct. 18, 1876,—

81 Emma E. Stevens, of Eastport, Me.

Residence: Eastport, Maine.

Occupation: Livery-stable Keeper.

Children: BUXTON.

82 Simon Stevens; b. July 6, 1879.

83 George Quinby; b. Jan. 13, 1881.

84 Fannie Hines; b. Jan. 9, 1884.

(69) Charles Moxey Buxton married, Mar. 2, 1876,—

85 K. S. Childs.

Residence: Eastport, Maine.

Occupation: Merchant.

Children: BUXTON.

86 Horace C.; b. Jan. 16, 1877.

87 Edward G.; b. May 20, 1879.

88 Carrie.

(54) Phebe Mitchell Buxton married, July 26, 1843,—

89 Almon Twitchell; b. Sept. 14, 1811; d. Oct. 29, 1859.
See Nos. 247-253, p. 402.

Residence: Bethel, Maine.

Occupation: Physician.

Children: TWITCHELL.

90 Alice Gray; b. July 18, 1844; res. Augusta, Me.

91 Cornelia Buxton; b. Sept. 19, 1845; d. Dec. 10, 1847.

92 George Maurice; b. Sept. 17, 1847; m. Jan. 26, 1870,
Florence Allen, of Yarmouth, Me.; res. Fairfield, Me.; dentist.

(95) 93 Mary Jane; b. Sept. 10, 1849; d. Sept. 17, 1876.

94 Edward Almon; b. Nov. 22, 1853; d. Aug. 8, 1854.

(98) 95 Anna Buxton; b. May 1, 1856.

(93) Mary Jane Twitchell married, Jan. 9, 1872,—

96 Albert A. Trull.

Residence: Lancaster, N. H.

Occupation: Carriage-smith.

Children: TRULL.

97 Alice May; b. Nov. 26, 1872.

98 Edward Almon; b. May 31, 1874; d. Feb. 7, 1876.

(95) Anna Buxton married, Sept. —, 1876,—

99 Sidney Irving French.

Residence: Bethel, Maine.

Occupation: Carpenter.

Children: FRENCH.

100 Cornelia Browne; b. Oct. 22, 1877.

101 George Harold; b. Apr. 20, 1881.

(55) Susan Drinkwater Buxton married, Nov. 14, 1835,

102 George Bacon.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: ———.

Children: BACON.

103 William Orville; d. young; (see p. 167.)

104 ———; d. young; (see p. 257.)

(7) Mary Buxton (297 1st Ch., Aug. 28, 1774), married.

105 William Chase (311 1st Ch., Sept. 13, 1778.) She died June 25, 1777, and he married, 2d, Miriam Cole, by whom he had two children, Hannah, bap. Dec. 2, 1781 (p. 860), and Timothy, bap. Nov. 2, 1783 (p. 902.) William Chase died July 22, 1798, aged 62. On p. 988 it is by mistake stated that his 1st wife was Mary (16) daughter of William and Lydia (Jones) Buxton.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine (about 1760), see p. 55, 1st Ch. Catalogue.)

Occupation : Physician (see pp. 63, 1169.)

Children : CHASE.

106 William ; bap. Sept. 1, 1765 (p. 716) ; m. Deborah
——— ; d. at sea.

(111) 107 Asa ; b. Dec. 22, 1765 ; bap. Dec. 29, 1765 (p. 716) ;
d. Oct. 18, 1842.

108 Mary ; bap. May 15, 1768 (p. 748) ; m. — Myrick.

109 Lucretia ; bap. May 14, 1775 (p. 804) ; m. George
Knight.

110 Ann ; m. ——— Patrick.

111 Stephen ; unmarried ; lived in the Provinces.

(107) Asa Chase (451 1st Ch., May 13, 1792, dis. to ch, in
Cumberland, Sept. 5, 1793), married,—

112 Hannah Mitchell (474 1st Ch.), daughter of Seth and
Althea (Blanchard) Mitchell ; she d. Dec. 14, 1818.

He married, 2d,—

112½ Sarah (Sally) Chase (see pp. 988, 989.)

Residence : North Yarmouth and Cumberland, Maine.

Occupation : ———.

Children : CHASE.

113 Polly ; d. Nov. —, 1813, aged 18.

114 William ; d. May —, 1832, aged 34.

115 Rufus A. ; d. Apr. —, 1829, aged 26.

116 Barrett P. ; d. Aug. —, 1810, aged 4.

(118) 117 Althea ; b. July 9, 1808.

(126) 118 Samuel W. ; b. July 12, 1811 ; d. May 20, 1869.

(117) Althea Chase married, June 18, 1834,—

119 Edward Gould.

Residence : Portland, Maine.

Occupation : Bank Cashier.

Children : GOULD.

(128) 120 William Edward ; b. June 19, 1837.

(134) 121 John Mead ; b. Dec. 15, 1839.

(138) 122 Elizabeth McLellan ; b. Dec. 5, 1841.

(142) 123 Howard ; b. Jan. 3, 1844.

(144) 124 Samuel Chase ; b. May 12, 1846.

125 Maria Dwight ; b. Aug. 23, 1849.

126 Alice Mitchell ; b. Feb. 20, 1855 ; d. July 20, 1858.

(118) Samuel W. Chase married, Dec. 20, 1847,—

127 Louisa Jordan.

Residence : ———.

Occupation : ———.

Children : CHASE.

128 Howard Worcester ; res. Kennebunk.

(120) William Edward Gould married, Apr. 27, 1859,—

129 Emma M. Dow.

Residence : Portland and Deering, Maine.

Occupation : Bank Cashier.

Children : GOULD.

130 Alice Maynard ; b. Sept. 4, 1860.

131 Neal Dow ; b. Jan. 7, 1863.

132 Herbert ; d. young.

133 Conrad ; d. young.

134 Margaret McLellan ; b. July 7, 1874.

(121) John Mead Gould married, Nov. 13, 1866,—

135 Amelia J. Twitchell.

Residence : Portland, Maine.

Occupation : ———.

Children : GOULD.

136 Annie A. ; b. Nov. 18, 1867.

137 Oliver Cromwell ; b. Apr. 20, 1870.

138 Theodore ; b. Dec. 12, 1873.

(122) Elizabeth McLellan Gould married, Oct. 6, 1875,—

139 Lyman S. Rowland.

Residence : ———.

Occupation : Clergyman.

Children : ROWLAND.

140 Edward Gould ; b. Apr. 17, 1878.

141 Althea Chase ; b. May 10, 1880.

142 Eleanor Harris ; b. Dec. 9, 1882.

(123) Howard Gould married, Apr. 26, 1866,—

143 Sara F. Stowell.

Residence : ———.

Occupation : ———.

Children : GOULD.

144 Arthur Howard ; b. Aug. 1, 1869.

(124) Samuel Chase Gould married, May 15, 1875,—

145 Margaret F. Fickett.

Residence : ———.

Occupation : ———.

Children : GOULD.

146 Blanche ; b. Jan. 8, 1881.

(8) Susanna Buxton (300 1st Ch., May 17, 1776), mar.—

147 Joseph Staples.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : ———.

Children : STAPLES.

- 148 Levi; bap. Aug. 18, 1776 (p. 805.)
- 149 Reuben; bap. do.
- 150 Sarah; bap. do.
- 151 Jeremiah; bap. Nov. 9, 1777 (p. 857.)
- 152 David; bap. Aug. 26, 1781 (p. 860.)
- 153 Joseph; bap. Sept. 12, 1785 (p. 903.)

(9) Benjamin Buxton (341 1st Ch., Sept. 20, 1789, dis. to ch. in Cumberland Sept. 5, 1793), (see pp. 2, 23, 86, 87, 106, 430, 586), married.—

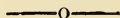
154 Elizabeth Grant (342 1st Ch.)

Residence: North Yarmouth and Cumberland, Maine.

Occupation; Farmer.

Children : BUXTON.

- 155 Benjamin; bap. Sept. 27, 1789 (p. 906); m. Betsey Sims.
- 156 Jane; b. Feb. 18, 1773; bap. Sept. 27, 1789 (p. 906); (407 1st Ch.); m. Levi Sweetser (No. 37, p. 1094.)
- 157 Charlotte; b. July 13, 1783; bap. Sept. 27, 1789 (p. 906); m. William Sibley, of Freedom, Me.; for family in full, see p. 283.
- 158 Sarah; m. ——— Taylor.
- 159 Elizabeth (or Betsey); b. Mar. 9, 1789; m. Solomon L. Blanchard (No. 52, p. 1092.)
- 160 David; m. Abigail Sawyer.
- 161 Asaph; lost at sea.
- 162 Ebenezer; m. Eunice Black.
- 163 Alexander; m. Christiana Blanchard (51, p. 1092.)
(Nos. 158-163, bap. Sept. 27, 1789, p. 906.)
- 164 Jeremiah; bap. Mar. 4, 1792 (p. 942); d. at sea.
- 165 Reuben; bap. Feb. 16, 1794 (p. 944); d. in W. Ind.



DESCRIPTION OF ARMS.

He beareth Argent, a Lyon Rampant, the Tail Elevated and Turned over the Head Sable; by the Name of Buxton; being Granted to John Buxton, of Tibenham in the County of Norfolk, Esqr., and Descends to the Name and Family of Buxton.

Boston, Nov. 4th, 1895, Copy from Heraldry.

Attest, Jno. Coles, Senr., Herald Painter.

GENEALOGICAL NOTES.

(Continued from page 1185.)

MERRILL.—1 Samuel Merrill, born at Salisbury, Mass., July —, 1711 (see pp. 1167–1168), (No. 64 1st Ch., N. Yarmouth, Aug. 28, 1737; removed to New Gloucester), married,—

2 Anna ——— (79 1st Ch., June 14, 1741; d. Apr. 30, 1772.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine, 1737 to 1743; Salisbury, Mass., 1743 to 1751; North Yarmouth, 1751 to 17—; New Gloucester, Maine (see pp. 1167–1168.)

Occupation: Farmer.

Children: MERRILL.

(7) 3 Samuel; b. May 21, 1739; bap. May 27, 1739 (p. 493); d. July 20, 1800.

(11) 4 Benjamin; b. Feb. 17, 1740; bap. Apr. 4, 1741 (p. 612.)

5 Judah; b. Dec. 8, 1742; bap. Dec. 12, 1742 (p. 613.)

6 Hannah; b. Oct. 18, 1751; bap. Dec. 8, 1751 (p. 618.)

7 Elizabeth; b. Oct. 26, 1753; bap. Jan. 20, 1754 (p. 663.)

(3) Samuel Merrill (259 1st Ch., July 22, 1770), married,—

8 Mary ——— (see p. 423, three items.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children: MERRILL.

9 Samuel; bap. July 29, 1770 (p. 750.)

10 Nathaniel; bap. do.

(16) 11 Moses; bap. do.

(4) Benjamin Merrill (220 1st Ch., Aug. 26, 1764; removed from town before 1793), married,—

12 Margaret Harris; No. 14, p. 1173; b. Mar. 18, 1738; daughter of Amos and Hannah (Larrabee) Harris.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine, till 1775; Greene, Maine, from 1775.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children: MERRILL.

13 John; Aug. 12, 1770 (p. 750.)

14 Jeremiah; bap. Oct. 14, 1770 (p. 751.)

15 Anne; bap. Nov. 5, 1775 (p. 804.)

16 Levi; bap. do.

(11) Moses Merrill married,—

17 Rachel Cutter ; b. July 5, 1771 ; bap. July 14, 1771 (p. 801) ; daughter of Samuel and Amelia (Loring) Cutter ; see No. 22, pp. 766, 770.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : Farmer.

Children :

MERRILL.

18 Eliza ; (871 1st Ch., Sept. 4. 1831 ; d. Sept. 10, 1843, aged 41) ; m. Joseph W. Small, of North Yarmouth (p. 770.)

19 William (p. 770.)

20 Mary (p. 770.)

1 Benjamin Merrill, (of Falmouth, 1752), int. of m. Nov. 6, 1751 (p. 654), (1752, p. 644), with,—

2 Mrs. Sarah Brown, of Falmouth.

Children :

MERRILL.

(All baptised at North Yarmouth.)

3 Abner ; b. Nov. 6, 1752.

4 Molly ; b. Aug. 20, 1754.

5 Anna ; b. Sept. 25, 1756.

6 Benjamin ; bap. Aug. 26, 1764 (p. 715.) ?

1 Jacob Merrill married,—

2 ————. He married, 2d, (p. 590),—

3 ————.

Residence : North Yarmouth and Cumberland (p. 590), Me.

Children :

MERRILL.

4 Josiah ; b. Oct. 22, 1765 ; bap. May 10, 1767 (p. 718) : d. July 7, 1846 ; for family and history see pp. 589-592.

5 Eunice ; bap. Sept. 27, 1767 (p. 718.)

6 Joanna ; bap. May 6, 1770 (p. 750.)

7 Jacob ; bap. May 10, 1772 (p. 752.)

8 William ; bap. Aug. 11, 1776 (p. 805.)

9 Abigail ("Nabby") ; bap. May 30, 1779 (p. 858.)

10 Benjamin ; bap. Nov. 25, 1781 (p. 860.)

11 Nathan Noyes ; bap. Nov. 28, 1784 (p. 903.)

12 John (p. 590.)

1 Abraham Merrill married,—

2 ————.

Children :

MERRILL.

3 Jane ; bap. July 4, 1770 (p. 750.)

1 Jacob Merrill married,—

2 Mrs. Rosanna (Davis) Winslow (widow of Gilbert, Jr., No. 34, p. 1104) ; 431 1st Ch., Oct. 16, 1791 ; d. Oct. 23, 1823.

Residence : North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation : Farmer.

Children; MERRILL.

3 Susanna; bap. June 16, 1793 (p. 944.)

4 Mary; bap. Oct. 18, 1795 (p. 945.)

5 Harriet; bap. Jan. 14, 1798 (p. 980.)

6 John; bap. Feb. 23, 1800 (p. 981.)

7 Harriet; bap. July 25, 1802 (p. 982.)

1 James Merrill (New Caco) married,—

2 ———.

Children: MERRILL.

3 Hannah; bap. Apr. 11, 1756 (p. 665.)

4 John; bap. Sept. 27, 1767 (p. 718.)

1 Richard Merrill (New Boston) married,—

2 ———.

Children: MERRILL.

3 Nathaniel Hammond; bap. Aug. 11, 1774 (p. 803.)

1 Abel Merrill (see p. 591?) married,—

2 ———.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Occupation: Farmer.

Children: MERRILL.

3 Hannah; bap. July 4, 1762 (p. 714.)

4 Deborah; bap. Oct. 5, 1774 (p. 803.)

5 Enoch; bap. July 21, 1776 (p. 805.)

6 Abel; bap. May 27, 1780 (p. 859.)

7 Abigail; bap. Oct. 15, 1780 (p. 860.)

1 Moses Merrill married,—

2 ———.

Children: MERRILL.

3 Lydia; bap. Aug. 1, 1762 (p. 714.)

1 Nathaniel Merrill married,—

2 Elizabeth Davis; 290 1st Ch., May 1, 1774; d. in Falmouth.

Children: MERRILL.

3 Jacob; bap. Sept. 13, 1778 (p. 858.)

4 Margaret; bap. Mar. 5, 1780 (p. 859.)

1 Israel Merrill married,—

2 Martha ———; 599 1st Ch., Oct. 27, 1811, excom. Apr.

29, 1828 (p. 1017 and 1st Ch. Cat.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children: MERRILL.

3 Fanny Winslow; bap. at house of Thomas Worthley, Nov. 6, 1811 (p. 1017.)

4 Sarah Jane; bap. do.

5 Justin Worthley; bap. do.

- 6 Thomas Worthley; bap. May 2, 1813 (p. 1018.)
- 7 Susanna Lewis; bap. July 30, 1815 (p. 1019.)
- 8 John Hayes; bap. Nov. 16, 1817 (p. 1020.)
- 9 Martha; bap. Oct. 3, 1819 (p. 1021.)
- 10 Elizabeth Bailey; infant; bap. Mar. 3, 1822 (p. 1022.)
- 11 Israel; bap. Aug. 22, 1824 (p. 1053.)

1 Ezekiel Merrill; 875 1st Ch. Oct. 2, 1831 (p. 1056); d. Jan. 12, 1870, aged 74; married,—

2 Sarah Hobart Lewis; 876 1st Ch.; bap. Sept. 24, 1797 (p. 980); d. Apr. 21, 1852, aged 54 yrs.; daughter of Asa and Lucy (Southworth) Lewis; see No. 13, p. 1159.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine.

Children:

MERRILL.

- 3 Margaret; bap. Jan. 8, 1832 (p. 1057.)
- 4 Isaac Newton; bap. do.
- 5 Newton; bap. do.
- 6 Zilpha; bap. do.
- 7 John Lewis; bap. do.
- 8 William Augustus; bap. do.
- 8 Emeline; bap. do.
- 10 Joseph; bap. July 16, 1833 (p. 1111.)
- 11 Mary Lewis; bap. Aug. 9, 1835 (p. 1112.)
- 12 Ezekiel; bap. Oct. 1, 1837 (p. 1112.)

Deacon Humphrey Merrill, of Falmouth, intentions of marriage with Elizabeth Merrill, of North Yarmouth, Aug. 29, 1741 (see p. 644.) He married (2d?), after 1774, Mary (Noyes) Weare, widow of Joseph Weare (see pp. 147, 283, 480.) She died in Falmouth (p. 480), before 1825; 229 1st Ch., Apr. 7, 1765.

- 1 Major James Merrill (p. 245), b. 1728, d. 1806, married,—
- 2 Mary R. Adams; b. 1730; d. 1774. He married, 2d,—
- 3 Abigail Adams; b. 1724; d. 1806.

Residence: ———.

Children:

MERRILL.

- 4 Josiah A.; b. 1751; d. 1841.
- 5 Joseph; b. 1753; d. 1811.
- 6 Hannah S.; b. 1754; d. 1834.
- 7 Rebecca Ann; b. 1757; d. 1814.
- 8 Samuel; b. 1759; d. 1855.
- 9 James; b. 1761; d. 1854.
- 10 Mary P.; b. 1763; d. 1806.
- 11 Jane M.; b. 1765; d. 180—.
- 12 Edward A.; b. 1767; d. 1814.
- 13 Abigail M.; b. 1770; d. 1829.
- 14 John; b. 1772; d. 1848.
- 15 Robert A.; b. 1774; d. 1853.

Capt. Reuben Merrill, of Yarmouth, Maine, married Hannah Elizabeth Blanchard. For family see pp. 936-937.

Davis Merrill married Asenath Prince. For family in full see p. 789.

Justin Merrill, b. Feb. 11, 1811, married Martha Ring. For family in full see p. 918, and add son George William, b. Mar. 8, 1839.

Ezekiel Merrill married Jane Wyman (571 1st Ch., Sept. 2, 1810; dis. to ch. in Paris, Me., Feb. 7, 1825.)

William Merrill, 930 1st Ch., Aug. 7, 1836, dis. to church in Meadville, Penn., May 29, 1844, married Sarah B. Mitchell, 920 1st Ch., May 3, 1835, dis. with husband.

Nathaniel Merrill, 963 1st Ch., Apr. 1, 1838, from 1st Ch. in Falmouth; dis. to High St. Ch., Portland, Apr. 3, 1844; married Sarah Thompson, 964 1st Ch.

Jacob Merrill, 1014 1st Ch., Feb. 17, 1842, from ch. in Pownal; married Emily Allen, 1034 1st Ch., Sept. 6, 1849; members still in 1878.

Isaac N. Merrill (4. p. 1212, son of Ezekiel?), 1248 1st Ch., from ch. in Freeport, Aug. 22, 1857; married Mary E. Hamilton, 1311 1st Ch., May 6, 1877.

Melville C. Merrill 1280 1st Ch., June 22, 1871, from Cong. ch. Falmouth; married Leah H. Humphrey, 1140 1st Ch., Mar. 2, 1865; for family see Nos. 316-318. p. 894.

Sarah Elizabeth Merrill, 1273 1st Ch., Aug. 12, 1869, from the Meth. ch., Yarmouth.

Lydia Merrill, 470 1st Ch., Aug. 12, 1792; married Joab Black, 469 1st Ch.; both dis. to ch. in Cumberland in 1793-4.

Abigail Merrill, daughter of Josiah and Eunice, No. 8, p. 592, b. Mar. 21, 1803; 1086 1st Ch., Apr., 10, 1850, from church in Pownal; d. Aug. 4, 1872; married Truxton Walker, 1085 1st Ch., and a member in 1878; he d. Mar. 21, 1881, aged 83 yrs. 3 mos. (p. 1190.)

A. B. Merrill married Sarah E. Loring, 1258 1st Ch., Sept. 6, 1858, dis. to ch. in Portland, Aug. 25, 1870.

Mary J. Merrill, 1279 1st Ch., Sept. 5, 1869, from ch. in Portland; married Samuel N. Prince.

Hannah Merrill, b. May 11, 1762, married William Reed; for family in full see p. 162.

Helen A. Merrill, 1378 1st Ch., June 3. 1877; married Edward J. Stubbs.

TOTMAN —1 Samuel Totman, (7 1st Ch., Nov. 18, 1730), son of Thomas of Plymouth, b. 1693, married,—

2 Experience ——— (23 1st Ch., June 27, 1731.)

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine (moved from town early, but after 1738.) See pp. 681, 740, 741, 830.

Occupation: Bricklayer.

Children:

TOTMAN.

3 Samuel; b. Nov. 17, 1729 (at Plymouth, Mass.)

4 Deborah; b. May 23, 1732 (bap. 21st, p. 491)

5 Hannah; b. July 6, 1734 (bap. Aug. 11, p. 491.)

6 Joshua; b. Oct. 23. 1737 (bap. Nov. 6, p. 492.)

TUFTS.—1 John Tufts (175 1st Ch., Feb. 24, 1754,) int. of m. Oct. 28, 1749 (p. 654) with,—

2 Sarah Thoits.

Residence: North Yarmouth, Maine. (He was from Bedford.)

Occupation: ———.

Children:

TUFTS.

3 John; b. July 17, 1750 (bap. Aug. 26, p. 617.)

4 Hannah; bap. Nov. 21, 1756 (p. 665.)

Isaac Tufts, son of Andrew, d. Jan. 17, 1755 (p. 1108.)

THORNE —1 Joseph Thorne married,—

2 Hannah ——— (81 1st Ch., July 12, 1741); died in Brunswick.

Residence: ———.

Children:

THORNE.

3 Israel; b. Nov. 25, 1733.

4 Mercy; b. Apr. 14, 1736.

5 Bartholomew; b. Jan. 14, 1738.

6 Jane; b. Mar. 15, 1740; bap. July 12, 1741 (p. 613.)

Zachariah Thorne, of Brunswick or Topsham, bap. Aug. 10, 1746 (p. 615.)

THOMES.—1 Ebenezer Scott Thomes married,—

2 Mary ———.

Children:

THOMES.

3 Moses Plummer; bap. Mar. 18, 1792 (p. 942.)

4 Abigail; bap. do.

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